Great Fire, Beyond Control, Is Raging in Montreal

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CRACKSMEN LOOT OROVILLE BANK

BLOCKS IN MONTREAL ARE WIPED OUT BY FLAMES

DYNAMITE MAY BE USED

Firemen, Hampered by Water Famine, Unable to Check Blaze.

District Laid in Waste at Montreal; Spanish City Burning.

MONTREAL, Que., Dec. 29.—Fire broke out here this afternoon in a block of stores and houses at St. Hubert and Ontario streets. On account of the water famine the fire department was unable to check it. At 2:30 o'clock twenty buildings had been destroyed and the firemen were preparing to use dynamite.

EXPLOSIONS SPREAD BLAZE.

The water famine that has prevailed here since the breaking of a main several days ago compelled the firemen to fight the blaze with only one stream from the hydrants and their chemical extinguisher.

In half an hour the fire had swept through a block. All the apparatus in the city was summoned and every chemical extinguisher available was placed in the hands of firemen.

From the block where it started, the fire leaped across the street to a large automobile garage where a series of gasoline explosions threw jets of flame in all directions. At this point Chief Trembly held a consultation with his lieutenants and sent for dynamite.

A mile of hose stretched to the St. Lawrence river held back the fire. On account of the break in the water works in-take pipe, which has caused a water famine here for several days, the fire hydrants were all but useless. The fire destroyed several blocks of stores and houses at St. Hubert and Ontario streets before it was checked. With only one weak stream of water at its disposal, the fire department was obliged at first to depend on chemical extinguishers.

Dynamite was sent for, but before it arrived the hose brought water from the river and the explosive was not used.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, Dec. 29.—A fire which threatened to wipe out most of this city started at midnight in the tenement house district and was still raging unchanged at noon.

The flames were fanned by a high wind. An immense block of building, mostly tenement dwellings, was destroyed before day break and thousands of the inhabitants of the surrounding districts spent the morning in the streets, guarding such of their household goods as they had been able to remove.

PRISON FIRE.

SANTA FE, N. M., Dec. 29.—Fire in the New Mexico state penitentiary, one mile from Santa Fe, this morning destroyed the roofs of the main office building and one cell house. The damage is estimated at $15,000, covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to have started in accumulations of paper in the ventilators of the cellhouse. Two hundred prisoners are lodged in the cellhouse where the blaze started, but all except five were at work. Governor McDonald, fearing an outbreak by the 300 inmates, rushed two companies of the National Guard to the scene. No attempt at escape was made.

Storm Warnings for Northwest Coast

(By Associated Press)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Storm warnings were displayed from San Francisco to Eureka today along the northwest coast. A southeast gale was moving southward, the Weather Bureau said and would continue in a general southerly direction tonight and tomorrow.

OAKLAND RAINFALL

SANBORN GAUGE.

Last 24 hours	.33
Season to date	9.50
Last season to date	5.50

WOMAN ENDS HER LIFE WITH PRAYER FOR LOST DAUGHTER ON HER LIPS

Widow Dies of Gas Poisoning, Clutching Photograph of Missing Offspring

Clutching in her hand a photograph of her daughter, who disappeared mysteriously about six months ago, the body of Mrs. Annette Chalmers, a widow, was found dead in her bed at the Piedmont apartments, 4046 Piedmont avenue, this morning.

Deputies from the coroner's office broke into the room when the landlady found that her tenant had barricaded herself in the place and had turned on both jets of the gas chandelier. The photograph was that of Mrs. Louisa L. Carstens, daughter of the suicide, who was sought by the police and by her husband in all the cities of California.

The photograph of the missing woman bore on its back the explanation of the aged woman's act in taking her own life:

"For God's sake come home, Louisa. I have had months of agony such as only a righteous person could feel."

Mrs. Chalmers had locked and barricaded the door of her room. She had stuffed pieces of cloth and paper into the keyhole and the crack between the door and the casing as well as in the window. Alone and despondent over the strange disappearance of her daughter, whom she alternately mourned as dead and besought to return, the aged woman turned on both gas jets, and placing herself on her bed in an attitude of repose, with the photograph in her hands, awaited death.

VICTIM OF MELANCHOLIA.

Fumes of gas were detected in the hallway by the landlady of the place and the coroner was notified. The woman had been dead for some time when the door was forced.

Mrs. Chalmers had been under the care of Dr. J. Hamilton Todd for some time, being a victim of melancholia induced by worry over the disappearance of her daughter.

The body was removed to the morgue and an inquest will be held.

The daughter, Mrs. Louisa Carstens, disappeared about six months ago. Her husband, who had a book concern in Fourteenth street, sought the young woman in every city of the bay region, and frantic search was made for her in San Francisco, Oakland, Stockton and Sacramento. The home life of the two was happy, and no explanation could be given of the disappearance.

Mrs. Carstens sold books and was last seen in a laundry in San Francisco, where she had taken several orders for her husband's book concern.

The mother worried over the disappearance and finally fell ill.

DYNAMITE SUSPECT IS IDENTIFIED AS PLOTTER

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—Charles King, one of the dynamite suspects known to the local police, was this afternoon positively identified as being Thomas F. Mooney, wanted in Sacramento for a dynamite plot, according to the statement made by Chief of Police J. P. Arnold. Arnold also stated that word of the identification had been sent to the Sacramento police and that detectives will be here this evening from that city to verify the identification already made.

According to Arnold, Mooney was implicated with a man by the name of Billings, arrested in Sacramento about three months ago while carrying a suit case containing fifty-six sticks of dynamite. Billings was alleged to have been among a gang which was dynamiting manholes owned by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company in Sacramento. Mooney, who it is claimed was one of his accomplices, escaped.

The police also learned that B. C. Hanlon, another one of the men, was in South Vallejo on December 24.

Refuses Favored Nation Treatment

(By Associated Press)

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—Germany today refused the request of the United States government "for the most favored nation" treatment of American steel, rubber shoes, etc., but it is hinted that she is willing to bargain for these if the United States will make an equivalent offer in return for it.

Pastoral Letter in France Hits Tango

(By Associated Press)

ST. CROIX, France, Dec. 29.—The Bishop of Verdun issued a pastoral letter today forbidding the dancing of the tango in his diocese. "The tango is intensely dangerous," he says. "It is one of the greatest dissolvements of the morality of France."

Funeral Services for Army Surgeon Torney

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Funeral services and burial of Brigadier-General George H. Torney, surgeon-general of the army, who died here Saturday night will take place at West Point, N. Y., Wednesday.

Civic New Year's Eve Fund Appropriated

The city council this morning granted an appropriation of $250 to the civic organizations for the New Year's eve celebration in Oakland, the money to be used to provide bands of music to play in the streets for open air dancing and for other features of the celebration. Commissioner Turner voted against the appropriation for reasons of economy, as the fund is somewhat overdrawn so far as the cash in hand is concerned. The money will be available, however, from the next installment of the taxes. The appropriation was granted at the request of a committee from the Merchants' Exchange, Chamber of Commerce, Downtown Improvement Club and other organizations.

'Resign,' Says Deacon; 'No,' Replies Rev. Archer

Despite the fact that he has been requested to resign by one of the deacons of the church, Rev. Francis M. Archer, pastor of the Melrose Baptist church, declared yesterday from his pulpit that he will not retire unless he is requested to do so by the congregation.

According to a statement today by Mrs. Archer, the clergyman has the support of his parishioners, who, it is declared, will remain loyal to their spiritual leader. No action has as yet been made by the officers of the church regarding the request made by the deacon.

SAN FRANCISCO BIDS FOR RESERVE ASS'N FUND

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The San Francisco Clearing House Association executive committee held a meeting at 11 o'clock this morning to discuss the likelihood of San Francisco being named as one of the cities to receive a reserve association fund as provided for under the new currency law. Those who were in attendance were James K. Lynch, C. K. McIntosh, Jas. J. Fagin, Dr. Washington Dodge, John D. McKee and F. L. Lipman. Oakland bankers were also in attendance.

The whole text of the act was read and discussed and it was the consensus of opinion of those present that San Francisco would receive one of the banks and was a logical place for its location. It was recommended that steps be taken to assure the locating of such an institution here and the matter will be presented before a meeting of the entire Clearing House Association to be held in the near future.

WOULD SAVE BANDIT'S NECK

Retrial of Passenger Agent Slayer's Case Is Sought

Point Is Said to Have Been Omitted in Information

(By Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—Alleged failure of the district attorney and Judge Gavin Craig of the Superior Court to express the "degree" of the murder of Horace E. Montague, traveling passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, is the error by which the father of Ralph Fariss and his attorney today hope to invalidate the sentence of death imposed upon the confessed bandit and murderer.

Because the District Attorney is said to have omitted this point in his information presented in court last Saturday and because the judge is declared to have neglected to state it when imposing the death sentence on the young man who held up an overland train near El Monte the night of December 1, the father and the attorney hope to secure a new trial. They began the effort when court convened today.

SEEKS LIGHTER PENALTY.

Should the trial be granted, a new plea of not guilty will be entered, it was said, and an effort made to get a less drastic sentence. All this lies within the power of the court, however, and unless Judge Craig is willing to have the plea changed, young Fariss will have to stand by the statements made Saturday in which he waived all his rights and demanded immediate sentence.

In case success does not attend this effort to have the bandit's lease of life extended the mercy of Governor Johnson will be invoked.

Commutation of the logical sentence for his crime was what he looked for when he confessed, Fariss declared Saturday night. Having failed he joins his father in the hope of mercy from the Governor.

FATHER COLLAPSES.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—Ralph Fariss, the young train bandit who was sentenced Saturday to die on the gallows at San Quentin within ninety days, recovered his nerve yesterday only to lose it and again collapse a

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Fariss Tamed by the Law

How He Looks in Repose

RALPH FARISS, FROM PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN DAY BEFORE YESTERDAY IN LOS ANGELES. HE FIRST OBJECTED AND THEN CONSENTED TO POSE.

PLANS BUREAUS FOR TRADE DEVELOPMENT

To Bring Business Men Into Closer Touch With Abroad

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—As a further move to carry out his plans for the development of American trade with foreign countries by a reorganization of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, Secretary Redfield of the department of commerce let it be known today that a series of bureaus are to be established in the principal cities of the country. The bureau will bring American business men into closer touch with markets abroad. Bureaus have already been established in New York City and others are shortly to be located in Chicago, New Orleans and San Francisco.

Mrs. S. P. Read Not in Court; Bail Forfeited

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The surety of $250 given by the American Consul General in London was forfeited today when Mrs. Sheridan Pitt Read, widow of a former American consul at Tien Tsin, China, failed to appear at the police court to answer the charge of obtaining credit on false pretenses. The charge arose out of a bill for $40, presented by a London hotel.

'EASY MONEY AND FOOL SOON PARTED'

Dr. John Grant Lyman, Awaiting Sentence, Moralizes

(By Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—"Talk about a fool and his money, there is no fool like the man with a bunch of easy money, because he is generally parted from it more quickly than he acquires it, and very often he is in the fix I am in—money gone, name gone and another term in prison the only thing to look forward to."

This is the last philosophy put forth by Dr. John Grant Lyman in the county jail while waiting to appear before United States Judge Wellborn today to be sentenced for using the United States mails to defraud. The promoter of the Panama Development Company, already has spent twenty-two months in jail, but is hopeful of an appeal that will save him from another term of residence at McNeil Island, where the federal penitentiary is located.

Dr. Lyman was brought into court for sentence today, but on the plea of his attorney was given another week to prepare a motion for a new trial.

Lyman operated the Panama Development Company, a concern which was closed in 1911 by postal authorities. Lyman was arrested in Oakland, but escaped. He was recaptured and served fourteen months in the federal prison at McNeil Island. Upon his release he was brought here and has been in jail ever since.

OFFICIAL INDICTED ON PERJURY CHARGE

Former Controller Accused of Making False Report

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Edward M. Grout, former Controller of New York City, was indicted today on a charge of perjury. He is accused of having made a false report to the superintendent of banks of the resources of the Union Bank of Brooklyn, where he was for two years president. James B. Ashley, cashier of the institution, was indicted on the same charge. The indictment grew out of an investigation by the state banking department of the affairs of the bank after it closed its doors in April, 1910.

British Schooner Is Reported Lost

(By Associated Press)

MOBILE, Ala., Dec. 29.—The Chaslie, a British schooner out from Pascagoula, was reported to have been lost with all hands in the storm that swept the Gulf of Mexico on Christmas day. The Griffin, an American schooner that sailed from Pascagoula last Tuesday, had not been heard from today.

GET $3700 IN SILVER COIN

Robbers Tunnel 150 Feet and Pierce Concrete Wall.

Were Unable to Blow Vault Containing a Larger Amount.

OROVILLE, Dec. 29.—Cracksmen tunneled 150 feet and pierced the concrete walls of the First National Bank of Oroville vault some time between closing time Saturday and Monday morning. They obtained $3700 in silver, but were unable to blow the manganese steel coin safe in which was stored a much larger amount of gold and currency.

W. W. Gingles, the cashier, who discovered the loss when the bank was opened, and reported the facts to the California Bankers' Association at San Francisco, of which the First National of Oroville is a member.

The base from which the robbers worked was the cellar of a building occupied only when lodge meetings were held last night, and they had ample time to dig their tunnel at leisure and stow the dirt where it would not be observed.

WAITED TO FINISH JOB.

Supposedly they worked up to the walls of the vault some time Saturday, waited to be sure the bank was empty, and then attacked the concrete with drills.

The silver within was lying loose—$200 in dollars, $200 in halves and the remainder in quarters. There was evidence to show that the outer vault had been attacked, but that the robbers' drills had not the temper to pierce the manganese steel deeply enough to set a sufficient charge of nitro-glycerine.

OROVILLE, Cal., Dec. 29.—The empty coin bags were found beneath the back porch of the Bell Harness shop today. Not a single coin was dropped by the burglars in emptying these sacks, which are now in the possession of Sheriff Weber.

Stories which lend weight to the belief that the burglary had been planned for more than a week were told this morning. Dr. F. W. Gilson, a dentist with an office on the second floor of the bank building heard tapping in the bank last Tuesday night and reported it to the bank cashier E. B. Rugh and Deputy Constable Toland. They listened about various buildings, but heard nothing and paid no further attention to the report.

A week ago last night R. L. Jones, proprietor of the Chocolate shop also heard tapping and beign superstitious closed shop and went home.

REWARD OFFERED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The California Bankers' Association, on receiving news of the Oroville bank robbery offered a reward of $100 cash for the arrest and conviction of the robbers and sent a detective to Oroville.

Woman Brutally Beaten by Thug

Mrs. Elizabeth Griffiths, 2230 Hannah street, was brutally attacked in her home this afternoon after her assailant had forced his way into the house and had tied her with ropes to her bed. The man, after brutally mistreating her, and threatening to kill her, stole a purse containing $7.50 from the house, and left her in a pitiful condition of collapse, tied to the bed. Neighbors discovered the woman and a physician was summoned. Her condition is considered precarious. The police were notified and every effort is being made to trap the brute.

Alleges He Received a $50,000 Beating

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—John D. Martin of this city is made defendant today in a $50,000 damage suit by Edward D. Bruce who claims, to have been badly beaten on January 8 of this year. Bruce has retained Attorney James N. Harley to represent him. He declares that Martin visited him as he lay in bed, sat upon him, beat him with his fists, cutting him with the heavy rings which he wore, and causing a broken collarbone, two fractured ribs, an injury to his spine, a cut lip and two black eyes.

ON EVE OF MEXICAN BATTLE

Federal and Insurgent Armies Ready for Conflict

Advance Guard of Revo- [illegible] Way

(By Associated Press)

PRESIDIO, Texas, Dec. 29.—The Mexican federal army at Ojinaga, opposite here, after being free of attack for three weeks, made ready today to fire on the first rebel that came within sight. With 4000 soldiers commanded by [illegible] supplied with stores of provisions [illegible] the federals had provided every precaution to resist the 4200 rebels advancing from Chihuahua under General Ortega.

The rebels, fatigued and short of rations after their long seven-day overland journey of more than 150 miles, were resting at a ranch at the south end of a canyon, known as La Mula Pass. The advance guard of the rebels was still more than eighteen miles from Ojinaga. The prospects were that the whole rebel army would not get through the pass and in firing distance of the federals within several days. So far no firing between the opposing forces has occurred. The federals have not left Ojinaga to check the rebels. Officers of the federal army, including General Francisco Castro, are confident that so long as they remain in the fortifications of Ojinaga, which is regarded as impregnable to an enemy except of vastly superior numbers, they will be safe.

News of the rebels' advance toward the border gave rise to conflicting reports. One was that the federals had advanced to meet the rebels and had been compelled to retreat. Another was that the federals had left Ojinaga to march on to Juarez. Another was that some of the federals had run across the United States border. All of these stories were baseless.

"NO COMPROMISE"—VILLA.

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Dec. 29.—"Nothing less than the fall of Huerta and his banishment from the country will ever be considered as a preliminary toward peace in Mexico," said General Francisco Villa today. "Any overtures for a compromise would be treated with contempt by the revolutionists."

General Villa was prompted to discuss the subject because of the repetition of a report from Mexico City that General Huerta might resign in favor of a member of his cabinet. But as the report also stated that General Huerta was thinking of taking the field against the rebels, it was not considered in any way as a possible peace move. The subject of peace, however, came up in General Villa's counsels and the rebel leader was moved to outline the rebels' views in case future events brought them into consideration.

In substance the terms demanded by the rebels are:

The elimination of General Huerta and his supporters.

The complete surrender to the Constitutionalist cause of politicians now opposing it.

The restoration of the constitution.

The selection of a provisional president acceptable to the Constitutionalists, and provisions for a popular election.

Guarantee of a change in the land laws so that deeds to land would be more generally distributed.

Ratification of the confiscation by the rebels of the vast Terrazas, Creel and other estates valued at many millions of dollars.

Nullification of all acts of the Huerta regime.

WILL HUERTA RESIGN?

Opinions of General Villa's advisers were that General Huerta will not resign and that the rebels must adhere to their original plan of fighting their way to Mexico City.

"Our cause has progressed to such a point that we would treat any suggestions of a compromise with contempt," said General Villa. "We regard Huerta as a traitor who has dragged his country through blood for his personal ambitions. We have gone through so much distress for the sake of freedom that we would not stop now short of it.

"Within a few months we have won all of the north from the unsurper. Our forces have increased from a few hundred until they now number over twenty thousand. This number will grow, for in every city we take, hundreds are ready to join. By the time we reach the City of Mexico we shall have enough men in arms completely to overwhelm the federals. And we intend to fight until there is no more fighting to do."

The idea that General Huerta might take the field against the rebels, General Villa said, caused no terror to him, although General Huerta is familiar with the north country, having commanded forces here during the Orozco revolt against Madero.

The rebels are confident that as soon as the expedition against the federals at Ojinaga is settled they will be in a position to advance southward without leaving federals in their rear.

VERBAL WILL BY INDIAN IS UPHELD BY WAR DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—A verbal will, if made by an Indian, is as good as the most elaborately witnessed and sealed parchment that can be drawn by an attorney, in the opinion of the War Department. At any rate, the department has just given instructions to an officer in charge of the Apache prisoners of war at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, to turn over the money derived from the sale of an Indian's share in the Apache herd there to a cousin by an Indian upon his deathbed.

The Indian's brother with whom he was not friendly, sought to claim the estate, but it was shown that the dying man had expressly declared that he did not wish any of his property to go to this brother, but bequeathed it to his cousin.

POLICE SEEKING MISSING WOMEN

Are Reported; Authorities Investigating.

The police have been asked to locate Mrs. Ruth Swennan, 20 years of age, who has disappeared from the home of her mother, Mrs. Mandana Brown, 1037 Fifty-seventh street. The young woman, who has a three-year-old son, whom [illegible] seen with Emory Campbell, a Southern Pacific brakeman, who lives in Sacramento, at the home of [illegible] Mrs. George Brown, 1037 Myrtle street, December 18. Mrs. Swennan has been separated for some time from her husband, Victor Swennan, a carpenter.

The police are investigating the strange disappearance of Mrs. Nettie Watzek and Mrs. Ethel Welch, two sisters, formerly of Santa Cruz, who are believed by their husbands to have fallen victims to designing persons. Mrs. Watzek, who is only 17 years of age, lived at 1003 Filbert street, while her sister, 19 years of age, lived at Twelfth and Filbert streets. The two husbands, Peter Watzek and L. Welch, reported the disappearance of the women. The girls have become enamored, say their husbands, with the night life of Oakland.

CAPTURE LADS CHARGED WITH BOLD HOLD-UP

John Stewart, 15 years of age; Fred Medeiros and Amando Pieraro, 18 and 19 years old, were captured by Corporal Dodson and Patrolmen Hodgkins and Stephen Connelly, and are charged with having held up Angelo Pipitone, 713 Peterson street. The boys are alleged to have taken cartridges and other belongings. The police say that following the holdup Medeiros and Pieraro took a horse and cart from East Fourteenth street and Twenty-fourth avenue, belonging to J. McKeever, and drove away with it. They are being held on the small book pending investigation. Stewart has been certified to the juvenile court.

CLUB TO MEET.

The "G. T. Club" meets Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Adele Schoening, 1455 Forty-seventh avenue.

COURT UPHOLDS R. R. COMMISSION

Decides Body Can Regulate Steamship Companies Acting as Common Carriers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—That the State Railroad Commission has authority to regulate steamship companies acting as common carriers between California ports and the Interstate Commerce Commission has similar powers to regulate [illegible] States, was the effect of a sweeping decision by the Supreme Court this morning.

The case was that of the Wilmington Transportation Company, which operates the Banning line of steamers between San Pedro and Catalina Islands. The railroad commission was requested to reduce freight rates between the two ports and proceeded to take the matter up. The corporation obtained a writ of review from the Supreme Court, claiming that the railroad commission had no jurisdiction. In this connection the plea was made that as Avalon, the port of Catalina, was 38 miles from the California coast, the railroad commission ceased to have jurisdiction after the vessel had passed out of the three-mile limit and into the open or high seas. The commission claimed that as both ports were in California, they were entitled to regulate the traffic between them, notwithstanding the 32 miles of high seas upon which the steamers traveled. The Supreme Court today upheld this claim of the commission and gives them the authority to regulate charges for freight and passengers, placing the jurisdiction of the steamship companies, therefore, under its control.

This means not only that the railroad [illegible] will have jurisdiction over all steamship companies operating between California ports, but that the Interstate Commerce Commission will have the say as to the rates to be charged between New York and San Francisco by water and between all ports within the jurisdiction of the United States.

WEAR NEW VESTMENTS FOR SOLEMN HIGH MASS

At the solemn high mass, which was celebrated last Thursday morning in St. Francis de Sales church, Hobart and Grove streets, the Christmas gift of vestments, which were presented to the parish by the Misses Dunn of Twenty-fourth street, were used for the first time. The vestments were imported and cost several thousand dollars.

The donors are leading workers in the parish, where they are interested in its spiritual and social endeavors.

WISHES OAKLAND HAPPY NEW YEAR BY CABLEGRAM

Mayor Mott today received a cablegram transmitting the greetings of the season to the citizens of Oakland from Carl Plaut, president of the Oakland Brewing and Malting Association, who is now in Nice, Italy. The cablegram follows:

"December 29, 1913.

"To Mayor Frank K. Mott,
Oakland, California.

"Best wishes for a Happy New Year for yourself and the citizens of Oakland.

"CARL PLAUT."

SCHOOLBOY BITTEN BY PATROLMAN'S BULLDOG

I. Samuels, a schoolboy, living at 727 Chester street, was bitten by a dog belonging to Patrolman Burbank, when the boy attempted to enter the yard at the patrolman's home. The dog has been taken to the pound, and the boy is under the care of Dr. Kane. The boy may have to undergo the Pasteur treatment.

FIGHT OUSTING OF COLONEL O'BRIEN

Baccus and Forrest Would Retain Veteran Deputy City Attorney.

Legal Department Reorganization Plan Contemplates Resignations.

attorney's office, which contemplates the resignations of Col. W. H. O'Brien, deputy city attorney, and Henry Skinner, clerk in the attorney's office, may meet with some opposition from Commissioners W. J. Baccus and John Forrest, according to rumors about the City Hall today. Baccus and Forrest are against the ousting of Colonel O'Brien, who has been in the service of the city a dozen years and who is known as an expert in street pro- [illegible] cus voted "no" on the passage of the reorganization ordinance to print today.

The proposed reorganization [illegible] carried out as at present projected, will mean the resignations of the two men January 1, and the employment of two, or perhaps one attorney, to take their places. In case only one man is employed, the two salaries may be combined, but that this is contemplated is denied by city officials.

O'Brien, who has a small private practice, but who devotes most of his time to city business, receives $150 a month. Skinner receives $125. It is said that for $275 a man of high ability who could aid City Attorney Woolner and Assistant City Attorney C. A. Beardsley in the extensive litigation of the city, could be employed. If this is not done, it is probable that two good attorneys will be asked to devote certain portions of their time, taken from private practice, to city business. By this means men of legal experience will be induced to accept jobs otherwise not particularly attractive, and the city, it is said, will benefit.

WOULD RETAIN BEARDSLEY.

The original cause of the shake-up in the city attorney's office was the fear that the city would loose the services of Beardsley. Beardsley has made an excellent record in trying several large cases, but this, it is said, has taken about four-fifths of his time from his private law practice, and his senior partners, Fitzgerald & Abbott, demanded that he should not devote so much time to municipal business for $300 a month only, when he was drawing more than this from the firm by depriving the firm of his services during these hours.

Just before Christmas it was proposed that more assistance should be given Beardsley, or he would withdraw from the city service. But the appropriation for the city attorney's office amounts to $12,500 for salaries alone, and it was thought that this could not well be increased. So it was decided to effect the reorganization.

Baccus and Forrest are against the plan, so far as it contemplates Colonel O'Brien, however and it is possible that a third member of the council may be won over by them.

ADOPTED CAREER OF AMATEUR RAFFLES

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Abraham Sales, who declares that a pawnshop proprietor started him on his road to misfortune through his adopting the career of an amateur Raffles, was arraigned for judgment in Superior Judge [illegible] He was convicted of receiving stolen goods and on a motion for a new trial being made in his behalf the case was continued until tomorrow.

HOW TO BANKRUPT THE DOCTORS.

A prominent New York physician says, "If it were not for the thin stockings and thin soled shoes worn by women the doctors would probably be bankrupt." When you contract a cold do not wait for it to develop into pneumonia but treat it at once. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is intended especially for coughs and colds, and has won a wide reputation by its cures of these diseases. It is most effectual and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Osgood Bros. Drug Stores.—Advertisement

ASK REHEARING IN INCOMPETENCY

Attorneys Representing Aged Mrs. Hurlbut to Oppose Son as Guardian.

Motion for a rehearing of incompetency proceedings through which a guardian was appointed over Adah E. Hurlbut a few hours before her marriage to Frederick J. Bevan last week, were made today by attorneys representing the aged woman and her husband and the matter will be heard in the superior court next [illegible] An affidavit accompanying the motion charges that the guardianship was practically forced upon her by her son in an effort to prevent the marriage. About $4000 in bank and $3000 in real estate has been tied up during the pendency of the action.

Attorneys Gehring and Wyman, who [illegible] will fight the motion upon which the legality of the marriage will devolve. During the hearing before Superior Judge Donahue Mrs. Hurlbut declared that she would not make an effort to carry out her intentions of marrying Bevan, who is a local real estate man. Immediately after the case was heard the couple repaired to the office of the county clerk and obtained a license. No mention was made of the incompetency matter, although [illegible] stated that she had $7000 and was going to get married at once. The ceremony was performed at the Met- [illegible] Subsequent efforts on the part of the bride to obtain her money failed, it is said.

Notice of the action to have the proceedings set aside was served today upon Attorneys Gehring and Wyman by Attorney Walter R. Dunn. The case threatens to be hotly contested by both sides.

SALOON LICENSE MAY BE REVOKED

A. Trouillet Cited Before City Council for Violation of Ordinance.

The city council ordered A. Trouillet, proprietor of a saloon at Seventh and Franklin streets, to appear before the city council tomorrow morning to show [illegible] why his saloon license shall not be revoked. The action was taken on the recommendation of Chief of Police Petersen, who stated that the saloon contained a side room in which men and women had been served with liquor in violation of the regulations.

Peterson's report follows:

"The Honorable, City Council, Oakland, Cal. Gentlemen — I beg leave to report that at about 9 40 p. m. last evening, Sergeant of Police R. F. Ahern and Patrolman Carter in visiting the various saloons in this city for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not the laws and ordinances are being obeyed, entered the saloon of A. Trouillet which is situated on the northeast corner of Seventh and Franklin streets, and were confronted by three women who were sitting at the table in a side room in company with three men, all of who were drinking beer.

"They appeared to be under the influence of liquor at that time and place and they were recognized by the officers as familiar characters who had been frequently in the custody of the police before.

"The officers then asked the bartender why he continued to sell liquor to these women as he had been previously warned not to do so and he responded that he had done so at the request of another party whose name he refused to divulge.

"The above information is submitted for your consideration and such action as may be deemed advisable.

"Respectfully yours,
"W. J. PETERSEN,
Chief of Police."

UNEMPLOYED GET LAST FREE MEAL

Two Thousand Descend Upon Relief Bureau and Demand Breakfast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The unemployed descended en masse upon the relief bureau on Main street this morning and demanded breakfast. There were 2000 of them and Harry Bogart and his corps of assistants were busy until 11 o'clock feeding the crowd. Then the soup kitchen was closed down, officers were placed on guard to prevent a possible onslaught for food and a decision of the board of supervisors was awaited to determine whether or not any more meals should be served.

Last week the supervisors determined that the free food should be given up to Sunday night. Bogart lacked authority to serve breakfast today, but communicated with Mayor Rolph last night and was instructed to provide this last meal. Most of the unemployed have received some money for work performed directly or indirectly for the city and it is believed that they should provide their own meals. This morning, however, there was employment for only 250 of the 2000 at the bureau. These men went to the relief home to work cutting down trees and in the vegetable gardens. The board of supervisors went into session at 11 a. m. and they are expected to solve the problem as to what will be done concerning the unemployed. No meals will be served this afternoon at the relief bureau unless special orders are received from the board.

PLAN PARADE IN SOUTH.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 29.—A meeting for unemployed held under the auspices of the Socialist party at the Labor Temple here last night resulted in a call for another meeting tonight to arrange for a parade of unemployed men through the streets. Job Harriman who was one of the attorneys defending the McNamara brothers, asserted there were 30,000 unemployed in Los Angeles.

In response to a telegram sent from the National Headquarters of the Socialist party, a resolution was passed demanding congressional investigation of the Michigan strike situation.

COMPLAINS ABOUT CEMETERY.

P. H. Petersen, a citizen, appeared before the city council this morning to complain against the conduct of affairs at Mountain View Cemetery, declaring that "corpses were piled one over the other in trenches in the potter's field, and that drinking water for wells in the neighborhood was contaminated." Commissioner Turner declared that the charges were nonsenical, and the matter was referred to the Health Department for a report.

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COLUMBIA

WOMAN DIES OF AUTO INJURIES

Driver Is to Be Arrested Because of Accident Two Months Ago.

After lingering close to death for almost two months, Mrs. Sarah L. Smith, 457 Van Dyke street, who was run down November 8 by Donald Prenville, driver for Schleuter's Bazaar, died this morning at the Merritt Hospital from the injuries she received. She had sustained a fracture of the skull, concussion of the brain and minor injuries.

Prenville is to be arrested and charged with manslaughter, pending the investigation of the case and the finding of the coroner's jury. The inquest will be held at the local morgue Wednesday.

Prenville Saturday night ran down George Atkinson, 754 Fourth avenue, at Twelfth and Broadway. Atkinson was only slightly injured. According to the police report Atkinson walked in front of the automobile delivery truck driven by Prenville, and it was largely Atkinson's own fault that the accident happened. [illegible] go home unharmed.

The police have made no report since Mrs. Smith's death as to the details of the accident which caused her death. With her daughter Mrs. Smith was crossing Washington street at Thirteenth when the automobile driven by Prenville swung around the corner. Both women attempted to jump back, but Mrs. Smith was unable to move quickly enough and was knocked to the ground.

Mrs. Smith was taken to Merritt Hospital, and has been under the care of several physicians. It was thought for a time that it might be posible to save her life, but her condition grew worse. She died early this morning.

Mrs. Smith is survived by her husband, W. T. Smith, and a daughter.

SAVE LIVES ALONE AS SHIP WRECKS

Crew of the Ill-Fated Schooner G. R. Hughes Is Rescued.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 29.—The Vancouver fishing schooner G. R. Hughes was wrecked in a gale Christmas Eve on Secretary Point, Hop Island, B. C., and sank in deep water. The crew of thirteen arrived here today on the steamer Henriette. They got away with nothing except their clothing and Captain Peterson lost all his gear.

They spent Christmas day cutting a trail through two miles of brush and over this rough path, cleared with their hands and a few knives, they dragged one of the dories, intending to launch it at Bull Harbor and row to Hardy bay. Anchored in Bull Harbor, however, was the schooner Emma H. and on board her they got their first meal in forty-eight hours. Then the Henriette came in and the men transferred to her.

The wrecked schooner, of 42 tons gross register was built at Oakland, Cal., three years ago. Under the name of the Rosin she fished out of Prince Rupert, but met disaster on April 24 last when her gasoline tank exploded and two of the crew were severely burned. The hull was brought to Vancouver and practically rebuilt and about two weeks ago she left on her first venture under the name of the G. R. Hughes.

Federal Reserve Bank Hearings Postponed

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — Secretary McAdoo, acting on advice of Surgeon General Rupert Blue of the public health service, announced late today that the hearings of the federal reserve bank organization committee set to begin in New York January 2, would be postponed until January 5. The committee will meet in New York January 5, 6, 7 and 8, and in Boston January 9 and 10.

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COL. GORGAS MAY SUCCEED TORNEY

Made Canal Zone Habitable; May Be Surgeon-General.

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Colonel Wm. C. Gorgas, the army medical officer who made the Panama Canal zone habitable for white men, so that the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans might be connected, is foremost among those likely to be appointed surgeon general of the army to succeed Brigadier General George H. Torney, who died Saturday. It had originally been planned to promote him to be surgeon general on General Torney's retirement next June.

Colonel Gorgas is now in British South Africa, where at the request of the British government and with the consent of the War Department he is trying to stamp out the deadly diseases which infest the regions in which the diamond mines are operated.

The appointment lies entirely with President Wilson.

GRAY HAIRS ARE OBSTACLE TO WORK

So Declares Thomas Collins When Asked to Explain Failure to Provide.

With a plea that his gray hairs prevented him from obtaining even menial employment and that the jail is a "refuge these days for a man in his predicament," Thomas Collins was released from custody today by Superior Judge Wells in order that he might make another attempt to provide for his children. Collins was recently arrested by Christopher Ruess, probation officer who charged him with violating his probation on a charge of failure to provide. The probation officer recommended that the probation be revoked and the matter came up today for disposition.

"If I go to contractors for work with a pick and shovel they take one look at my gray hairs and tell me to call tomorrow," said the defendant. "I have tried to get work but it is difficult these days. I dislike being in jail but to a man in my position it is a refuge these days."

Collins was at one time a deserter from the British navy, but was pardoned by Queen Victoria on her Jubilee.

STATE TO VOTE ON PROHBITION

Filing of Petitions Will Place the Proposed Law on Ballot.

(By Associated Press)

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 29 — With the filing today of petitions from ten counties, aggregating 25,693 names, the proposed law providing for total prohibition in the State of California will go on the general election ballot in 1914. The total number of names represented on the petition is 41,945, or more than 10,000 more than is required under the law for an initiative measure. Los Angeles county alone sent in more than 25,000 names.

The measure, which the voters of the state will decide, prohibits the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors in the state of California, except for medicinal and scientific purposes. It is one of the most drastic prohibition measures ever proposed in the United States, so it is claimed.

IS AWARDED CHILD.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Mildred Marks, whose marital troubles with her husband, Alfred, have been frequently aired of late, was awarded the custody of her 10-year-old son by Superior Judge Graham today.

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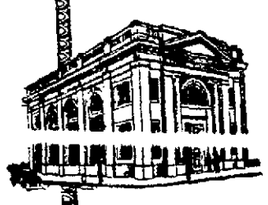

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WILSON HEARS BIRTHDAY SERMON

President Attends Service in Tiny Edifice on Its Anniversary.

Accountability of Individual to Maker Is Preacher's Theme.

GULFPORT, Miss., Dec. 29.—President Wilson sat in a quaint little Presbyterian Church yesterday, among a congregation of less than a hundred, and heard a remarkable sermon on the personal accountability of the individual to his Maker.

The President and Mrs. Wilson, accompanied by Dr. Cary Grayson, came unexpectedly, avoiding a crowd that had collected at the little church at Pass Christian, eight miles away, and though the Rev. Dr. Herbert Alert Jones was as surprised as any of his congregation at the arrival of the distinguished visitors, he varied his prepared service only slightly. Yet, by coincidence, he developed the theme that has long been one of the preachments of the President himself.

"I selected a text," he said, "not knowing that it would be my honor to preach before the President of the United States but I want to give you all something helpful that will remain with you in the days to come. It was the twelfth verse in the fourteenth chapter of Paul's letters to the Romans: 'So then every one of us shall give account of himself to God.' This principle of accountability affects all of us, for God cares for the humble man as he does for the President of the greatest nation on earth.

WILSON'S BIRTHDAY.

The Rev. Dr. Jones did not know today was the President's birthday, though his sermon was devoted to reflection on the passing twelve months.

"Methuselah lived to be 969 years old," said the preacher, "but was drowned in the flood. He lived all these years, yet, as we say in common parlance, he didn't know enough to come in out of the wet."

The President smiled.

Extemporaneously, and with many an illustration of homely thought the minister unfolded his ideas. He was an interesting figure as he talked—white hair, gold spectacles that hid sunken eyes, a wrinkled face and lips that trembled with the nervousness of age, but he enunciated his thought with intense feeling.

The congregation stood in silence until the President and his party passed out. At the door step the preacher thanked them for their visit.

PREACHED BEFORE GARFIELD.

"It was the second great honor of my life," he said.

"And what was the first?" inquired the President.

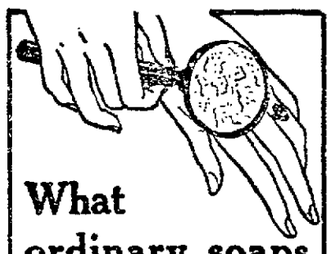
"I preached once before President Garfield," was the reply. The presidential party motored away to Biloxi, twelve miles further East, along the coast, before turning back to Pass Christian. On the way the President saw "Beauvior," the old home of Jefferson Davis, with the office nearby. When the President returned he found many telegrams congratulating him on his fifty-seventh birthday. He took a short nap after luncheon and started for a walk in the afternoon. He had not gone far when a little girl met him with a bouquet of flowers.

"Many happy returns of the day," she said.

The President thanked her warmly.

BREMNER IS IMPROVING.

BALTIMORE, Md. Dec. 29.—Congressman Robert G. Bremner of New Jersey, who is at a sanatorium here undergoing radium treatment for a cancerous growth on his left shoulder, was reported as being improved yesterday.



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BAN PLACED ON DISORDERLY HOUSES

Police Order to Close Segregated District January 1 Issued.

Inmates, Known to Authorities, to Be Driven From the City.

CHIEF PETERSEN ISSUES ORDERS

Chief of Police Petersen last night issued the following special orders:

To the division commanders:

Your attention is called to a previous order issued in relation to the closing of certain houses in the city of Oakland, which closing is to take place on January 1, 1914.

Owing to my well-known attitude in relation to losing these houses it may have in some degree caused you to feel that I would not, with any degree of activity, see to the enforcement of the order as herewith mentioned

This will serve to give you and each one of you notice that the enforcement of this order must be complied with with the utmost activity on your part. This means that not alone the houses must be closed on January 1, 1914, but that no member who is at the present time engaged in the traffic will be permitted in the city of Oakland.

You will instruct the sergeants, corporals and patrolmen in your several divisions that they will diligently seek out and report any attempt made by any person to either publicly, clandestinely or otherwise ply their traffic in the city of Oakland.

It will be your province to watch hotels, lodging houses or places of residence in the residential district. It will also be your duty to watch taxicab drivers, chauffeurs, clerks in hotels or lodging houses to see that they do not attempt to further such business in the city of Oakland.

It is expected of the commanding officers of the police department that you will use every endeavor to give the order issued by the commissioner of public health and safety the greatest degree of attention and enforcement.

W. J. PETERSEN,
Chief of Police.

Thursday, January 1, has been set by Commissioner of Public Health and Safety F. C. Turner as the day for closing the houses in the segregated district and the orders have been transmitted by Chief of Police Walter J. Petersen to the officers of the department.

There are at present 23 disorderly houses in Oakland. The inmates number between 125 and 150 women. They are all listed in the police records and are known to the patrolmen and officers.

The experiment will be made in Oakland of eliminating the segregated district. Commissioner Turner stating that a practical trial in a large city of the effects of the redlight injunction and abatement law may prove of value to the voters of the state when they come to vote on the measure at the referendum election.

Although Chief of Police Petersen has expressed his opinion that the best method of handling the social evil under present day conditions is through segregation, he declares that he will carry out the policy directed by Commissioner Turner to the letter, and so far as it is possible will suppress traffic in the segregated district.

PLANS FOR FUTURE.

The proprietors of the segregated houses have been notified that they will not be allowed to continue business after the new order goes into effect and many of them have made arrangements to leave Oakland. One of the proprietors of a well-known disorderly house has concluded a deal for a roadhouse beyond Sausalito. Another is said to have obtained a lease of a place on the San Pablo road in Contra Costa county. Others have made arrangements to go to San Francisco.

It is anticipated that at midnight, December 31, open conduct of all disorderly houses will discontinue in Oakland. The police and other authorities express their belief, however, that there will be a large increase in clandestine vice.

That the clandestine vice will be contributed to by the women now engaged in the business in the segregated district of Oakland is thought unlikely by the authorities, as the records and in many cases the photographs and descriptions of these women are on file with the police. The inmates of Oakland houses will, for the most part, go to other cities.

EXPECT INFLUX.

At the same time an influx of women from other cities is anticipated after January 1, as Oakland will be considered as a free field for this. In the classes and caste distinctions of the demi-mondaine the women not connected with established segregated houses are considered of a somewhat inferior class, as their way of life is more precarious and their remuneration less. They are the dregs of the underworld. It is feared that Oakland streets and cheap lodging houses will become infested with this class and that the police will be kept busy day and night obtaining evidence against these people and causing their arrest.

At the present time there are on an average of from thirteen to twenty women in the city jail. It is expected that after January 1 this number will be increased two or three fold.

The suppression of open vice in Oakland will be attempted under the provisions of the California Penal Code, which have been in existence for many years, but which have been in effect a dead letter in almost all large cities for the reason that segregated vice was considered in some measure "a necessary evil." Under [illegible] will arrest these women as vagrants and they will be given the alternative of jail sentences or of "moving on." The "move on" sentence, which gives the woman a chance to avoid jail by getting out of town, a sentence known in underworld and police argot as a "floater," is considered extremely effective as well as merciful by police court justice.

RENTS INFLATED.

The segregated district in Oakland is practically confined to Sixth street, between Franklin and Washington, where there are at present about a score of houses. These rent at inflated values. The termination of the leases will mean that the owners of this property will lose a large revenue, as the places cannot be rented at such rates for other businesses. There is [illegible] trict and three negro houses in Pacific street, West Oakland.

Efforts have been made by charitable and social uplift organizations to provide work and chances of betterment for the women of the segregated district who will be made homeless by the new order. So far it is declared that none of these offers of assistance have been accepted by the inmates of Oakland's segregated district. A committee of women canvassed the various segregated houses, but found its efforts of little avail.

THINK SUSPECT IS MURDERER KID DUGAN

Guarded in Own Apartment While Sleeping by Detective Making Arrest.

Wanted in Connection With Killing of Captain of Police Byrne.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—James Dugan, alias the Kid, was in custody here today in connection with the murder of Captain of Police Ralph E. Byrne of Cleveland, Ohio, was reported as being in this neighborhood and a suspect was picked up here by the police last night. Detective Tom Regan, who made the arrest, was not by any means convinced that he had the right man in custody and for that reason did not place him in the city prison. Instead, Patrolman Whelan was detailed to accompany the suspect to his own apartment and guard him while he slept. This morning the officers are endeavoring to make sure as to whether or not they have the right man in custody. The wires between here and Cleveland were kept hot with messages concerning information regarding the suspect.

The detectives refuse to give the name furnished them by the man in custody, saying that if he should prove to be innocent of wrong-doing, publicity would injure him.

Frank Kinney was electrocuted in Ohio December 12th for the murder of Captain Byrne, but all along protested his innocence and claimed Dugan did the crime.

POLICE TELEGRAM RECEIVED.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 29.—Chief of Police Rowe received a telegram today from Chief of Police White at San Francisco, which read:

"Am holding Johnny Dugan, alias the "Kid."

Dugan is the man who actually fired the shot which killed Captain Ralph E. Byrnes in his home here February 2, 1913, according to a story told by Frank Kinney, who died in the electric chair at the Ohio penitentiary in Columbus two weeks ago for the murder.

Kinney and another man, alleged to be Dugan, together broke into the Byrnes home and were surprised in their work. Byrnes was shot and killed. Kinney, when about to die for the crime, said it was Dugan who fired the fatal shot.

After the police had checked up Dugan's story, he was released but will be kept under surveillance.

BURGLAR LAUGHS AT LOCKED DOORS

Chops at Panels, Removes Hinge Pegs and Secures Valuables.

Stealing an ax from the basement of the home he planned to enter, a burglar pried open a window, found an inner door locked, and chopped through the panel of the door, knocked the hind pegs from another door and then ransacked the house. The home entered was that of A. Apel, 3370 Grove street. Jewelry and other belongings valued at $140 were taken.

The burglary occurred during the absence of the family. The burglar broke into the basement, where he obtained an ax. With this he pried open a window leading to a wash room. The inner door leading to the interior was locked and the man proceeded to chop a panel out of the door and put his hand through the hole to unlock it from the inside. Another door blocked his progress to the upper part of the house, and he skillfully removed the hinge pegs and took the door down

The man took his time and carefully ransacked the house, taking an oboe, a clarinet, a suitcase, some jewelry and clothing.

B. B. Thorne, 319 Twentieth street, is the latest victim of one of the several bands of highwaymen who have been operating about Oakland for the last month. Two masked and armed men accosted him at Nineteenth and Franklin streets at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, one of them striking him a blow on the head, felling him to the ground. The other went through his pockets and stole $10 in coin and his watch. The police were notified.

A pickpocket operating in a saloon at Eighth and Broadway last night stole a diamond brooch valued at $600, which C. W. Walker, who has offices in the Union Savings Bank building, carried in a coat pocket.

Burglars entered the home of A. Jacobs, 1538 Harrison street, last night and ransacked the house, securing jewelry and silverware valued at $150. Articles valued at $45 were taken by burglars who entered the home of Magnus Madsen, 440 Second street, last night.

SECRETARY DENISON.

Secretary A. A. Denison of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce is preparing a report embracing the various events of the commercial body during the year just ending, which will be submitted at a meeting to be called early in January. Practically everything of any importance is being carefully compiled, and Denison declares that there is enough boost data in the report to "sink a ship."

Chicago's Annual Beer Output Is 2 Barrels Per Capita

CHICAGO, Dec 29.—If all the beer, cigars and tobacco manufactured in 1913 in Chicago and surrounding Illinois counties, comprising the Chicago internal revenue district, had been distributed evenly every man, woman and child in this city would have received two barrels of beer, 160 cigars, 8 pounds of tobacco and 2 pounds of snuff.

These figures were based on statistics in the annual report of Samuel M. Fitch, collector of internal revenue for the first Illinois district. The largest single item of revenue in this district was from beer, the total taxes amounting to [illegible]

HOPE TO SAVE BANDIT'S NECK

Train Robber's Attorneys Claim That Court Error Was Made.

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few hours later when his father, James Fariss, a crippled railroad employe at Bakersfield, called at the county prison to see him. The father himself fell in a faint the moment he saw his son and before he had spoken a word.

The prisoner and his parent recovered in a short time, however, and when jailer and guards turned away they conversed with each other for half an hour.

The elder Fariss, showing the effects of his sudden discovery that the youthful bandit who had sought to cover his identity under the name of a former friend, Johnl Bostick, was his son, arrived from Bakersfield yesterday morning, with another son. The two went direct to the county prison. They entered secretly and left in the same manner and last night no one knew where they were.

FATHER DISTRESSED.

"I am too broken up," said the father, "to see or talk to any one, and above all I want to keep away from newspaper men."

According to the jailers at the prison Fariss came not to get a last look at his son, as a condemned man, but, if possible, to help him to avoid the death penalty which was imposed upon him for the murder of Horace E. Montague, the Southern Pacific railroad passenger agent, who was killed when the youthful bandit held up the Sunset express at El Monte, near here, December 1.

The court proceedings were the briefest on record here in a capital case. Less than three hours elapsed between the time the young man was brought into a justice court until he passed out of the criminal department of the Superior Court condemned to die within three months. And Fariss, the father, pins his faith to the hope that into these proceedings some judicial error slipped which might save the neck of his boy. He also entertains the hope, according to statements he made at the prison, that in lieu of court error the clemency of the governor might intervene.

Young Fariss himself has embraced the latter hope. There is nothing else for him, he said.

He confessed, according to statements he made last night, in the hope that the judge who sentenced him would send him to prison for life instead of to the gallows. He waived all his legal rights in the case, with the object of obtaining mitigation. Having failed there he joins his father in the hope of mercy from Governor Johnson.

It was reported last night that Fariss had gone to see Lieutenant Governor A. J. Wallace at the latter's home at La Crescenta for the purpose of procuring Wallace's intercession. The Wallace home was cut off from telephonic communication, however, and no confirmation could be obtained.

John D. Fredericks, district attorney, said that the fact that Fariss confessed and was sentenced under the name of Bostick could not be used as a lever to overturn the death sentence imposed upon the young bandit and slayer Saturday.

Percy V. Hammon, the deputy district attorney, who conducted the proceedings which ended in the pronouncement of the death sentence, said last night that it was the intention of the authorities to send Fariss to San Quentin tonight. But he admitted that habeas corpus proceedings or appeal to higher courts might serve to delay matters, although he declared he did not believe that either a writ of habeas corpus or an appeal would nullify the proceedings and sentence Saturday.

Fariss served a term of thirty days in jail here in 1905 for stealing a watch, according to the police, who said they had found his photograph and Bertillon measurements yesterday in the rogues' gallery. Fariss was then 17 years old, the police say, and pleaded that this theft was his first offense.

ROUSE CLERK FROM BED FOR "SUB ROSA" LICENSE

After arousing Deputy County Clerk Cunha from his bed late Saturday night John W. Watson of Oakland and Miss Ethel S. Greenough of Berkeley were considerably disappointed because the deputy refused to issue them a marriage license "sub rosa." But they were not to be deterred in their intention and at last Cupid won. The couple decided to brave publicity and went away with their license. Watson gave his age as 30 years and the bride-elect as 21 years.

HEIR OF LATE CARDINAL ASKS REMOVAL OF SEALS

ROME, Dec. 29.—The removal of the seals from the residence of the late Cardinal Rampolla was requested today by his sister, Carolina Rampolla-Pezzana. She presented to the court the late prelate's testament dated 1889, according to which she is the only heir, her brother having died in the meantime. If no opposition is raised by interested parties, the removal of the seals probably will take place tomorrow.

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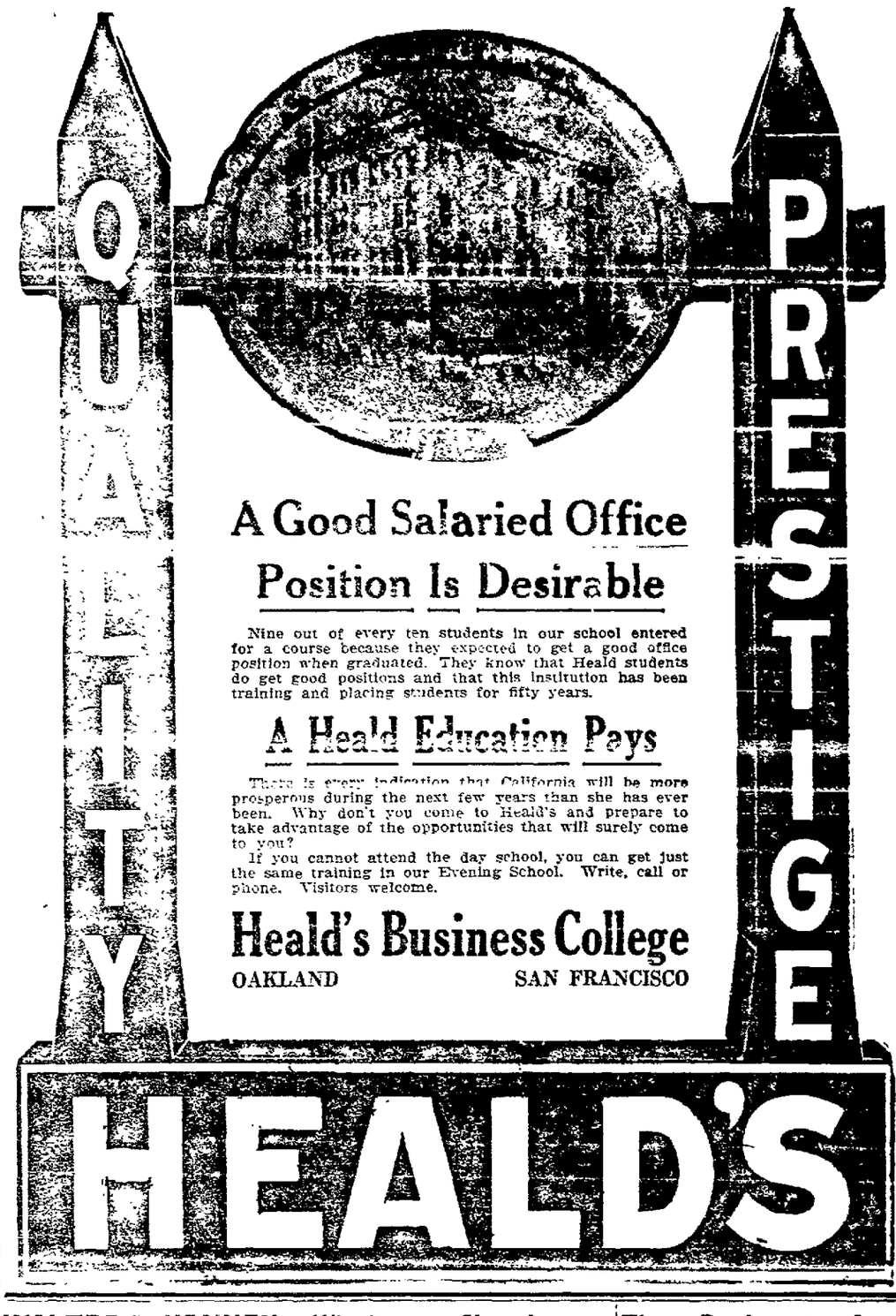

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Oaklander was a Broker and Former Manager of W. P. Fuller Co.

Walter Adams Kenney, formerly manager of the W. P. Fuller Company of this city and an investment broker of San Francisco, died last night at the family residence, 149 Montecito avenue. For the past two weeks he had been seriously ill as the result of heart trouble, but prior to that time he had also been under the care of physicians.

Deceased was born in San Francisco fifty-five years ago, but received his grammar school education in the schools of Oakland. He completed his High School course in San Francisco. Since his boyhood days he lived here, where he is widely known in club and commercial circles. He was a charter member of the Athenian Club and only recently he withdrew his membership owing to illness. For seventeen years he was the manager of the W. P. Fuller Company, where he was held in high esteem. Later he engaged in the brokerage business.

The late Walter A. Kenney was the father of Miss Leila Kenney, a society girl of this city, who is now traveling in the Orient with her grandmother, Mrs. W. B. Harrub, and her aunt, Mrs. W. E. Griffiths of San Francisco. The death of her parent will be withheld until her return to Oakland in February. Besides a widow, Mrs. Ida Harrub Kenney, he is survived by a daughter, Miss Leila Kenney, and a son, Harrub Kenney, all of this city.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the home on Montecito avenue. Rev. George G. Eldredge, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Berkeley, will read the service, which will be private. The body will be cremated.

LETTER WRITERS' SILLY SEASON ON

Nation's Correspondents Cramp Wrists and Annoy Wilson

(By Associated Press)

PASS CHRISTIAN, Miss., Dec. 29. Although President Wilson is courteously left unmolested by residents of this vicinity, yet hundreds of people in all parts of the country daily are pursuing him through the mails.

The President is devoting much more time than he had expected to correspondence. Dr. Cary Grayson, his physician today said the President was slowly improving in health but needed more rest. [illegible] it was stated that hereafter Mr. Wilson will refrain from attempting to answer communications except those of unusual importance. Of these there have been very few. Only letters of an urgent character have been referred to the President by those who are handling his mail.

Among the letters which have been pouring in at Pass Christian are many endorsing various bankers and others for membership in the new federal reserve board. None of these [illegible] the President until he returns to the White House.

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Wireless to Signal Perils Inside Mine

(By Associated Press)

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—A mining engineer at Bochum has invented a successful wireless apparatus for signalling on the imminence or the actual outbreak of perilous conditions inside a coal mine to the station at the pit mouth.

New Year's Excursions

December 27 to January 1, return limit January 5, 1914, to all points between Oakland and Chico. Through train to Chico daily, O., A. & E. Ry., depot 40th and Shafter ave. Telephone Piedmont 870.

Three Regiments of Chinese Army Revolt

(By Associated Press)

PEKING, Dec. 29.—A revolt of three regiments of the Chinese army under the leadership of General Yang Hu-Hin was reported today from Lali-Fu, in the far southwestern province of Yun Nan, about 100 miles from the frontier of Burma.

The soldiers on December 8 shot down their officers, raided the armory, killed a professor and several students of the Chinese college as well as a number of citizens and then proclaimed the independence of the province in the name of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, former provisional president of China.

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VALLEJO NEWS

HITS HUNTER INSTEAD OF RABBIT

Accidental Shooting Seriously Injures John Cartos in Groin and Legs.

Victim Brought to Vallejo and Bullets Removed; Recovery Expected.

VALLEJO, Dec. 29.—While out hunting jack rabbits yesterday near Napa Junction, John Cartos, who is employed at the Union hotel at Napa Junction, was shot by G. Ballens, an employe of the cement works near this city. The shooting was an accident, as Ballens fired his shotgun at a jack rabbit and some of the bullets hit Cartos in the groin and legs. He was brought to Vallejo and the bullets were removed by Dr. B. J. Klotz. It is believed that Cartos will recover. Ballens states that he did not see Cartos until after he had fired the shot.

FINES EARLY MORNING MILK WAGON DRIVER

VALLEJO, Dec. 29.—The poor milkman who disturbs our slumbers in the early hours of the morning has at last met his master in the shape of Poundmaster Derrick of this city. At three o'clock this morning the vigilant poundmaster "pinched" a milk wagon which had been left by its driver while he was delivering some lacteal fluid in another block. Derrick claimed that the lines were not arranged according to the city ordinance and the Portuguese driver was forced to hand over $4 before he was allowed to continue on his way.

SAILOR CHARLES GRANDE MAY MEET PETROSKEY

VALLEJO, Dec. 29.—"Sailor" Charles Grande has been offered the main event of the next Flogdon show which will be held during the month of February. Grande will probably be matched to meet Pete Petroskey.

VALLEJO COUPLE HOLD WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

VALLEJO, Dec. 29.—At the good age of 83 and 76 years respectively, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hoyt celebrated their fifty-eighth wedding anniversary at their home in Benicia last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt were married in this city fifty-eight years ago.

BEAVERS DEFEAT TEAM FROM CRUISER DENVER

VALLEJO, Dec. 29.—The Beavers of this city met the cruiser Denver eleven at the Cycodrome yesterday afternoon and defeated the tars by a score of 54 to 0. The Beavers are to meet the fast Lookout eleven of Napa in the asylum city next Thursday afternoon.

BASKETBALL TEAMS TO CONTEST CHAMPIONSHIP

VALLEJO, Dec. 29.—The basketball five from the Mare Island hospital and the team from the receiving ship Cleveland will have a game at the receiving ship drill hall on the yard tonight for the championship of the local government plant.

NO STRIKE IN EATING PLACES, SAYS HAYWOOD

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Other means than a strike for waiters and other workers in restaurants and hotels to win their demands were advocated last night by speakers at a meeting of several hundred hotel workers, called by the Industrial Workers of the World for organization purposes. William D. Haywood, who presided, declared that so far as he knew no strike was to be called for New Year's eve, the busiest night of the year in hotels and restaurants. Haywood said that instead of serving badly prepared food, as suggested by some of the speakers, he thought it would be better "to give them the best in the house and twice as much as the usual portion, always at the boss' expense. This will hurt the boss at whom you are aiming," he concluded, "and will make the customers your friends."

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REVIVING DAYS OF 'MERRIE ENGLAND'

Sons and Daughters of St. George to Hold Yuletide Observance.

Reviving memories of the Yuletide observances of "Ye Merrie England" of more than fifty years ago, the Sons of St. George and the Daughters of St. George will hold a Christmas celebration tomorrow (Tuesday) evening in Corinthian Hall, Pacific building, W. O. W., Sixteenth and Jefferson streets, for their members, families and friends. Corinthian Hall will be decorated for the occasion with Christmas greens, holly, English and American flags. There will be a big Christmas tree which will [illegible] program made up of juvenile numbers has been arranged. Following the program there will be old-fashioned children's games, dancing and refreshments. The program is as follows:

Song, Master Brockhoff, Scotch dance, Miss Helen Martin; song, "Let's Make Love Among the Roses," Misses Ruth Stanley and Ruth Gown; song, Miss Madeline Brockhoff; song, "When the Band Plays Yankee Doodle," [illegible] Indian dance, Miss Ramona Towlerton, song and dance, Misses Fern Depper and [illegible]; song, Miss Alta Crownon; song, Master Harold and Miss Ruth Girvin; song and dance, Miss Ruth Stanley; song, Master William Burke; "Goblin Man," Misses Ramona Towlerton, Evin Zolarge, Alta Crownan, Alma Airy and Elizabeth Gale; "Flags of All Nations," Master William Burke and chorus with Master Brockhoff as Uncle Sam and Miss Madeline Brockhoff as Britannia"; recitation, "Old Glory," Miss Lottie Pritzkow; trombone solo, Miss Eva Brown; instrumental solo, Messrs. Charles Smith, Joseph Bateman and A. G. Leach.

The children taking part in the program are the pupils of Professor J. S. McCown. The committee in charge of the affair follows: A. G. Leach, chairman; H. E. Norman, H. Stutter, B. Bispham, J. Crombie, Albert Orton, William Sheaff, Ernest Orton, J. E. Wilson, J. Collins and Archie Tindall.

WOMEN COURTING TROUBLE WITH U. S.

Government Officials Indicate Income Tax-Dodging Is Dangerous.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Women who follow the advice of Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the National Woman's Suffrage Association, to offer "passive resistance" to the income tax law, lay themselves open to serious trouble with the government, in the opinion of officials of the treasury department. In an open letter addressed to "unfranchised women of America," Dr. Shaw further advocated that they "decline to aid the government in levying taxes on them by refusing to render an account of their property." Treasury officials point out that it is just as much a violation of the law to refuse to make returns to the collector as to refuse to pay the taxes after the assessment has been made.

A fine of from $20 to $1000 is the penalty provided and treasury officials declare that they propose to enforce the law.

DEMOCRATS TO SIDESTEP SUFFRAGE QUESTION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—It developed here yesterday that there will be another delay before the House Rules Committee passes on the request of the suffragettes for the creation of a standing committee on woman suffrage in the House.

Before Congress took its Christmas holiday it was believed the committee would announce its decision by January 15, as to whether or not it would recommend to the House the creation of a suffrage committee because the Christmas recess will last until January 12, and there will be delay in getting down to committee work after that date. It was said by Congressmen today that the committee will not take up the matter before the last of January.

Indications are that the committee will either let the request for the standing committee go by default, or will vote it down. Democrats on the committee are opposed to woman suffrage, the Democratic House leaders feel they have enough political issues to meet without making woman suffrage a national question. They maintain it should be left to the states to decide the character of electorates.

COAL PRODUCTION IS SHOWN ON INCREASE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Despite labor disturbances in Colorado, the interference of the Ohio floods last spring and a general complaint on the part of coal operators that they were unable to work their mines at full capacity because of shortages of labor, there was an increased production of coal in the United States in 1913 of between 30,000,000 and 40,000,000 tons, as compared with that of 1912.

According to the estimates made public last night by Edward W. Parker, coal statistician of the geological survey, there will be a total production of between 503,000,000 and 575,000,000 tons at the end of the present year. The increased output is said to be nominal—"an index of the general industrial activity of the country."

The decrease of the production of fuel oil in the mid-continent oil field and the strike of Colorado, Parker says, has resulted in an increased output of coal in the southwest and eastern states.

MAIL ROBBERY SUSPECT RELEASED FROM CUSTODY

SEATTLE, Dec. 29.—David Yust, a deck watchman on the steamer Whatcom, who was arrested on a charge of being implicated in the looting of a mail sack being conveyed from Anacortes, Wash., to Seattle on the steamer, was released after an investigation by Clay Allen, United States District Attorney.

Yust explained that although the mail was in his charge it was an open room and that he was called away to stand by the wheel and to serve as lookout while the steamer was going through a thick fog. Postoffice inspector said the amount of money stolen from the mail was small.

Latest News from Outside Towns

COMPANY H, N. G., TO HOLD ELECTION

Vacancy Caused by Resignation of Lieutenant Holmes Will Be Filled.

HAYWARD, Dec. 29.—An election will be held by Company H, National Guard, at the Armory Thursday evening, January 8, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieutenant Holmes. It is [illegible] will be [illegible] after the second lieutenancy. Major L. Francis will preside. Company H is getting ready for the indoor shoots which will be a feature of the winter program. The Coast Artillery of California rifle team will compete against the local sharpshooters at the indoor targets.

MELROSE 1914 CLUB TO GIVE INITIAL AFFAIR

MELROSE, Dec. 29.—The latest social organization in Melrose is the 1914 club which includes in its membership a number of prominent society people of this district. A masquerade ball, the first affair given by the club, will be held New Year's even in the Melrose hall. Valuable prizes will be awarded for the best costumes and a large crowd is expected to patronize the initial effort of the new club. Captain Nelson, the hero of a recent shipwreck in the Pacific, who was adrift for over a week in an open boat with other members of the shipwrecked crew, is president of the 1914 Club. Captain and Mrs. Nelson have come to reside here recently and are already prominent in the social life of the community. Other officers of the club are: Vice- president, Mrs. Carl Hansen; secretary, Mrs. A. C. Christiansen; treasurer, Mrs. L. H. Lahr.

UNION CHRISTMAS SONG SERVICE WELL ATTENDED

HAYWARD, Dec. 29.—The Christmas song service in the high school auditorium last night attracted hundreds of the residents. Only morning services were held at several of the churches in order that the congregations might have an opportunity of joining in the Union service. Music by a large choir, solos, duets and a violin obligato, comprised a high class musical program. Local talent, which contributed to the song service, included Miss Marion Rogers, Miss Inez Allen, Mrs. E. L. Merwin and Miss A. Obermuller, Miss Helen Angus, H. B. Cooper, Mrs. F. T. Cooper and Walter Ellis.

GOLDEN WAVE CHAPTER, O. E. S., PLANNING PARTY

SAN LEANDRO, Dec. 29.—Golden Wave Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, has sent out cards for a New Year's eve party which will take place in the Masonic hall. A large number of the members and their friends have been invited to the affair.

MOTOR AMBULANCE FOR SAN LEANDRO

Combination Omnibus Placed Into Service at Infirmary Can Accommodate 16.

SAN LEANDRO, Dec. 29.—A combination ambulance and omnibus is now in service at the County Infirmary, supplanting the horse-drawn vehicle which has long been in use in conveying patients [illegible] new ambulance closely resembles the ambulance in use by private hospitals, but has side windows and seats along each side, giving it the appearance of an omnibus. It can accommodate sixteen passengers. In the ambulance [illegible] injured persons and bedridden patients to the infirmary from the bay cities as well as from the remotest parts of the county the motor ambulance will supply a much felt want.

The ambulance carries [illegible] cot may be inserted and an attendant person may be handled with very little inconvenience or possibility of jarring or injury. A second cot may be placed above from the seat supports if necessary and still allow room for an attendant in the body of the vehicle.

The machine is driven by a powerful six-cylinder engine.

UNION CHURCH HOLDS CHRISTMAS SERVICES

SAN LORENZO, Dec. 29.—Christmas services at the San Lorenzo Union church, which were not held the Sunday preceding Christmas owing to the storm, took place last night. A. D. Bissell of Pomona College, gave an instructive lecture recital of both instrumental and vocal music. A series of songs, written by Hugo Wolff, the well known German composer, were rendered besides other pieces. The services were attended by a full turnout of the congregation.

TESTING ROAD SURFACE MATERIAL AT HAYWARD

HAYWARD, Dec. 29.—Different materials for the road surface of the new State highway are being experimented with by the State Highway Commission. Tests will be carried out on the section between Hayward and Niles, which will be laid within a month. As there is heavy traffic over this road, the test ought to prove conclusive.

MISS ANNA W. WADE STRICKEN BY DEATH

MELROSE, Dec. 29.—Miss Anna W. Wade, who is well known in this community, died at her home on Melrose avenue yesterday, death being due to heart trouble. Deceased had no relatives in this part of the state, two of her nieces living in Los Angeles. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

ATTACKS UNIFORM R. R. RATE SCALE

Commerce Commissioner Doesn't Believe in Practical Plan.

(By Associated Press)

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 29. — A uniform rate scale for all railroads in this country is not a practically possible thing nor is it necessarily a desirable thing, it was said by Balthasar Meyer of the Interstate Commerce Commission in an address today at the twenty-sixth annual meeting of the American Economic Association.

Government ownership was referred to by Meyer as the possible final outcome of increasing government regulation, but even that, he said, would not put an end to rate problems. Meyer said he wished it understood that he was speaking as a rate expert and not as a government official.

MEMORIAL SERVICES AT NATIONAL CEMETERY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Elaborate preparations are being made here for the sixteenth annual memorial services to be held at Arlington National Cemetery, February 15, in honor of the sailors and marines who lost their lives when the United States battleship Maine was blown up in Havana Harbor. An appropriate musical program will be given and many prominent men and women are expected to make addresses.

President Wilson, members of his cabinet and the Cuban minister, Admiral Dewey and members of the military affairs committees of the House and Senate have been invited to attend the exercises. Admiral Sigsbee, who commanded the ill-fated Maine, and Father Chadwick, who was its chaplain, are also among the distinguished guests to attend.

CLAN STILL IN HIDING IN KENTUCKY MINE

PINEVILLE, Ky., Dec. 29.—The Hendrickson clan of mountaineers who sought refuge in the mine between here and Elys, Ky., last Thursday were still hiding today. Shortly before dawn three men were seen to approach an entrance. The guard on duty there at once gave the alarm, but before help arrived the men in the mine had disappeared.

The belief that the number of clansmen in the mine is not as great as was at first supposed was confirmed today when George Hendrickson, a cousin of "Happy Jack" Hendrickson and one of the men supposed to be in hiding in the mine, was arrested. George Hendrickson was one of the men who engaged in the battle at the home of "Happy Jack" Hendrickson [illegible]

PENNSYLVANIA BREAKS COAL PRODUCING RECORD

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — Pennsylvania, as a producer of coal, broke all previous records this year. According to advance statistics, announced today by the geological survey, the combined production of anthracite and bituminous coal in the state probably will amount to 267,000,000 short tons.

FAIR COMMISSION WRECKED EN ROUTE

Vessel Bearing Four Members to Australia Runs Upon Rocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29—Four members of the Exposition Commission to Australasia appointed by President Wilson, three of them with their wives, are on board the steamer Tasman, which yesterday morning ran on the rocks off Bramble bay, on the south coast of New Guinea.

Reports sent by wireless to Thursday island and thence by cable up to a late hour last night gave no reason for fear for the safety of the passengers.

The commissioners, as soon as they could get use of the wireless after the vessel struck, sent a reassuring message to the Exposition Company in San Francisco.

The Tasman carries a full list of passengers, and besides the commissioners, other prominent people are on board, among them Mme. Lillian Nordica

The vessel belongs to a Dutch line plying between New Zealand and the Dutch East Indies. She was bound from Wellington for Batavia, Java, the next stop of the commissioners.

Bramble bay, where the steamer ran aground, is the north curve of the narrow Torres Straits, which lie between Australia and New Guinea. A strong current in the straits makes them always dangerous, and it is supposed that the navigator lost his bearings during the night and was carried too far to the north.

Thursday Island wireless station, on the Australian side of the straits, immediately notified the authorities at Brisbane, the capital of Queensland and the nearest large port to the scene of the steamer's mishap

The wireless call sent out by the ship was urgent and said that there was a heavy gale blowing and a high sea running, although the vessel did not appear to be in immediate danger.

Several steamers were immediately dispatched from Brisbane to the assistance of the Tasman. The distance is more than 1400 miles, and under the best conditions of sea and weather such help cannot reach the distressed steamer until tomorrow.

Torres Straits are frequented waters, however, and it is probable that her wireless calls will attract the attention of passing steamers before that time.

Conditions along the southern shores of New Guinea will make the passing of lines from the stranded vessels to others a matter of great difficulty, as the coast is rocky and at this time of year is almost constantly a lee shore.

The commission party left San Francisco for Australia on the steamer Sonoma on September 23. From here they went direct to Sydney, where they made their first official call.

SHOOP RESUMES POST UNDER ELLA F. YOUNG

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—John D. Shoop, whose election as superintendent of Chicago public schools to succeed Mrs. Ella Flagg Young was canceled several days ago by the board of education, formally resigned the position today and resumed his old post as first assistant superintendent.

S. P. BRANCH LINE TO DISCONTINUE

Los Gatos and Mayfield Service Stopped Owing to Lack of Patronage.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—On January 4th the Southern Pacific branch line trains operating between Los Gatos and Mayfield will be discontinued owing to lack of patronage. The through train service between Santa Cruz and San Francisco over this line (two trains southbound and one train northbound) will be continued.

The passenger department of the Southern Pacific Company announce that in order to take care of the traffic between Palo Alto, Los Altos and Los Gatos, it has made [illegible] Suburban Electric Railway, effective the same date, for interchange at Palo Alto and Los Gatos. The Peninsular Electric will make close connections at Palo Alto with as many steam line trains to and from San Francisco as have heretofore been met at Mayfield with the branch line steam service and in addition passengers will have the advantage of the other trains operating over the Peninsular Electric, their tickets being good on all the Peninsular Electric trains.

The shifting time of the electric cars between Palo Alto and Los Gatos, utilizing the new line recently completed between Monte Vista and Congress Junction, will be approximately the same as that of the steam line, and as the Peninsular Electric serves the same communities as the steam line and the tracks are alongside for more than two-thirds of the distance, the new electric service will fully take care of the traffic.

It is further announced that between Congress Junction and Vasona Junction, a distance of less than three miles, where there are three flag stops, not immediately served by electric line, the through trains between Santa Cruz and San Francisco that have heretofore not stopped at these stations (Pollard Road, Quito Road and Quito) will do so beginning with the 4th proximo, giving them the benefit of the fast through service to and from San Francisco.

The foothill section between and including Saratoga and Los Gatos will be greatly benefited by opening of the through-line in that for the first time it will have through direct electric railway service to and from Palo Alto connecting at Palo Alto with trains up and down the peninsula.

NEW INVENTION MAY REVOLUTIONIZE X-RAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—An invention that it is expected will revolutionize the use and application of the X-ray, was exhibited for the first time in public in this city Saturday at a dinner given at the Hotel St. Denis to William David Coolidge of Schnectady by Dr. L. G. Cole of New York. Men versed in the science of the X-ray who witnessed the demonstration of Coolidge's invention, said that it was the greatest advancement in the study of rays since Roentgen.

Coolidge, who is employed in the General Electric Company's laboratory, has been working in secret on the new ray for three years. He has so far perfected but two tubes, one of which he showed Saturday night. His method of manufacturing the ray differs from the old one, and enables him to secure such efficiency in control and application that the greatest benefits to therapeutics are expected as soon as the technique of the ray is thoroughly understood.

Coolidge's ray will not cheapen the cost of production, but it will enable X-ray operators to control the power they wish to administer absolutely, whereas before it was impossible to gauge the amount that would be generated or to direct it. The value of the new ray in the treatment of cancer and similar diseases is expected to be enormous, because of the certainty with which it can be controlled.

UNEMPLOYED CAMP NEAR DINUBA FOR EVENING

FRESNO, Dec. 29.—The company of the unemployed camped last night at Monson, in Tulare county, ten miles from Dinuba, and fourteen miles from Visalia, to which city they expect to advance. Monson is too small a place to supply keep for the men, so they were careful to take with them a quantity of provisions obtained from the Dinubans. The march today was begun about 8 o'clock in the afternoon.

One split yesterday, and later was healed, but it is the prediction of the people of Dinuba that the band is likely to fall to pieces soon unless it gets better support from the towns through which it passes. When the company left Dinuba last night, thirty-three out of the nearly 200 refused to start, but stayed at Dinuba over night. They then set out along the same road this morning, and passed the bigger company in the afternoon.

No formal preparations have been made for the reception of the wanderers at Visalia but it is understood that local relief committees are prepared to furnish provisions for a short stay.

NEVADA CLUBMAN IS MARRIED; IS SURPRISE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—A romance of a year and a half standing, and which began in the divorce colony of Reno, was revealed yesterday when Mr. and Mrs. David Staunton registered at the Hotel St. Francis. Staunton is a wealthy rancher and mining man of Winnemucca, Nev., and with his brother, Edward Staunton, is a member of San Francisco clubs, and it was the first intimation that there was a Mrs. Staunton.

The wedding took place Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Neary at Capitola, and James Sheehy, the Watsonville apple king, and Mrs. Sheehy were the other witnesses. The bride was Mrs. Elizabeth Simendot, a wealthy New York divorcee, whom Staunton met when she was residing in Reno during the summer of 1912. She returned from a year's sojourn in Southern Europe two weeks ago, and Staunton went East to meet her upon her arrival.

22 CHINESE WILL BE DEPORTED AS INSANE

PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 29.—Twenty-two insane Chinese from the State [illegible] land tonight for deportation to their native land. The men will be taken from here to Seattle, where they will be placed aboard the steamship Minnesota, which will sail for Hongkong Tuesday.

Superintendent Steiner of the asylum announced some time ago, when he began negotiations for returning the men to China, that with an expectancy of life of each man of ten years the State would save about $60,000 by the act.

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Old Crow or Hermitage Whisky, reg. $1 bot. **85¢**
Deer Run Rye Whisky, gallon **$3.25**
Imported Port or Sherry, regular $4 gallon. **$3.50**
Regular $1 bottle .. **75¢**
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Because of the enormous demand at our Rose Bush Sale, we secured another 1000 bushes, sixty varieties of red, pink, white and yellow, all budded stock, to sell at **15¢**. Black and white Fig Trees and Lilac Bushes at **22½¢**.

THE BETTER WAY

(By CHRISTOPHER RUESS.)

SETTLING BOY PROBLEMS OUT OF COURT.

An inquiry sent to all the cities in the United States of over 100,000 population has revealed the fact that settling cases out of court is as much the practice of good probation officers and good juvenile courts as it is of good attorneys. In Oakland the officers of the Juvenile Court settle or handle about twice as many cases outside of court as in court.

In some instances there is merely a warning and a dropping of the boy or girl problem involved until such time as parents or others revive the case. Usually the trouble is trivial and the boy or girl is never heard from again. In Alameda county, with sympathetic police departments, it is probable that scores of complaints are wisely handled by the officer on the beat, or at the police station, in just this commmon sense fashion, and without publicity or ado. This is as it should be, and it will no doubt, become more and more as the community comes to have more and more of the understanding heart.

In other instances, however, while legally court treatment is proper enough, still court treatment is not at all necessary. All that is necessary is that the child be duly impressed with the recognition of the authority of the state, back of the reasonable directions of reasonable parents. It is truly amazing what a change will often come over a boy when he is brought "bump up against" authority, very kind, indeed, but exceedingly firm and sure of itself. It is almost as though a lightning change artist were at work.

Here is a boy who is 16 years old. His father is dead. His mother is crippled. He takes advantage of her. He quits Sunday school and church and [illegible] He smokes to excess. He is out at all hours of the night. He abuses his crippled mother. [illegible] He gives up his work every few weeks and is out of work half the time. He is going down hill very fast. His mother comes to the probation office and is at last in earnest. She is willing to sweat to a position to bring the boy into the Juvenile Court.

A letter goes to the boy to bring his mother to the probation office on a certain evening. Comes he to his mother and to the family pastor. They all come. [illegible] There is a private conference between the probation officer and the boy, another between the minister and the boy. Then while the probation officer and the minister talk with the mother, the boy by himself with a pen [illegible] the page of life he is about to turn. At his mother's written request, he is placed on parental or unofficial probation for a year, but the reports are so good after a few months that he is dismissed even from this out-of-court probation and is never heard of again at the probation office.

Especially where there is both father and mother living, it is painful to be obliged to go to court on the doctor of bad troubles. Why can not our homes also be both kind and firm? Is it because we do not take the time?

MINERAL OUTPUT GAINS IN STATE, IS REPORT

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 29.—The mineral output of California for 1913 will total $95,000,000, according to a report announced yesterday by F. McNutt Hamilton, State Mineralogist. This is an increase of $4,000,000 over 1912.

The petroleum yield, which has strengthened its hold on the first place will show a production of 93,500,000 barrels valued at $13,500,000, an increase of $1,500,000 over last year.

The value of gold mined this year will aggregate $20,000,000. The copper product is valued at $5,500,000.

The growth of the cement industry is the most striking development of the year. The value of the cement product will be $5,000,000, an increase of $2,000,000 more than 1912.

Other important mineral products are valued as follows. Crushed rock and granite, $6,500,000; brick, $3,000,000; natural gas, $1,250,000; borax, $1,000,000; silver, $800,000; quicksilver, $750,000.

"DEMOCRACY IN 1914" TO BE SPEAKER'S THEME

David E. Fulwider of San Francisco, vice chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, will be the speaker at a meeting of the Alameda County Jefferson Club to be held on Tuesday evening, December 30, in Harrington-McInnis Hall, 265 Twelfth street. "Democracy in 1914" will be his subject. Fulwider is well known as one of the leaders of the State organization.

Special business of the meeting will be the nomination of officers and directors of the Club for the coming year. The election will be held on January 13.

Plans for a big Democratic celebration to be held in Oakland in the near future are being laid out by the board of directors of the club and an active campaign program is being arranged for the next general election.

OAKLAND UNION, I. O. W., TO GIVE PUBLIC DANCE

A public dance and entertainment will be given by the Oakland Union, Independent Order of Washington, this evening in the big open-air ballroom of the Pacific building, W. O. W., Sixteenth and Jefferson streets. A general invitation has been issued to all those who desire to avail themselves of the hospitality of the fraternal order and it is expected that there will be a large attendance. The ballroom is one of the handsomest and most novel of its kind on the Pacific coast.

FARMERS COME TO TOWN FOR MURDERERS' TRIALS

CHESTERTOWN, Md., Dec. 29.—Kent county farmers began streaming into town this morning for the meeting of the grand jury which was named Saturday night for the purpose of taking up the cases of the negroes accused of the murder of James R. Coleman, a rich farmer. The confessions of James Parraway and Norman Mabel were reduced to writing today for presentation to the grand jury.

WHITE SLAVE FIGHTERS IN DEFENSE OF PLAYS

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. — Frederick H. Robinson, president of the Sociological fund of the Medical Review of Reviews, announced yesterday that the fund had entered actively in the fight on behalf of the photoplay, "The Inside of the White Slave Traffic."

The picture was shown again last night at the Bijou theater. It probably was its last evening performance, for a temporary injunction the Bijou theater secured is returnable tomorrow.

"We are particularly anxious to get this dispute settled in view of the fact the 'The House of Bondage,' which was banned when produced in the Bronx, will reopen on Broadway, January 12, under our auspices," said Robinson.

"There will be a tremendous mass meeting some time this week to protest against the action of the police and to indorse the picture. Norman Hapgood will be chairman of the meeting, and addresses will be made by Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont and others."

Robinson said that at this meeting of protest the picture would be exhibited, and that if the police interfered there would be "trouble." He also said that Christobel Pankhurst's "Plain Facts About a Great Evil" would be published this week and put on sale.

"MOVIES" NEW METHOD OF TREATING INSANE

CINCINNATI, Dec. 29.—The moving picture, used as a medium through which education and knowledge of the doings of the world may be obtained, will soon be installed as a regular factor of the curative system at Long View Insane Asylum, this city. It is to be made a sort of "unknown treatment," undergoing which the patient will not realize that he is being subjected to a mental test. The patient will see only the pleasant method for his entertainment, when in reality, an accurate probe into his sick brain will be afforded.

TO INVESTIGATE RECALL PETITION AGAINST GRANT

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—District Attorney Fickert this morning [illegible] to begin an examination of the recall petition circulated against Senator Grant. The investigation will be conducted by Ferrari, together with Registrar Zemansky, as it is claimed that there are numerous forgeries upon it. Senator Grant is the author of the Redlight Abatement bill.

MOTORIST IS HURT.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—H. F. Stang of Los Angeles rode his motorcycle over a seventy-five-foot cliff here yesterday, was severely injured by the fall, and narrowly escaped drowning, when he rolled into the ocean. He was found a few minutes later unconscious and partly submerged. It is believed he will recover.

ASSOCIATION TO BANQUET.

A banquet and meeting of the California Association of Applied Arts and Sciences will be held this evening in the Hotel Oakland. It is expected that a large attendance will be present.

VARIED WEATHER IS PREDICTION

General Rains on Pacific Coast Expected During Coming Week.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Generally fair weather is predicted for the next few days east of the Rocky mountains and over the southern plateau region. Rains are expected in the Southeastern States and probably snows in the Middle Atlantic and New England States, upper Ohio valley and lower lake region. The weekly forecast of the Weather Bureau says.

"A disturbance of moderate intensity central over Louisiana Sunday morning will advance northeastward [illegible] Southeastern States and cloudy weather and probably snows Monday and Tuesday in the Middle Atlantic and New England States, the upper Ohio valley and the lower lake region. With this exception the weather will be fair during the next several days in practically all parts of the country east of the Rocky mountains and over the southern plateau region. Abnormally low pressure over Alaska and the Aleutians during the week on the Pacific Coast.

"The next disturbance to cross the [illegible] on the Northwest Pacific Coast on Monday and Tuesday attended by high winds and rains and cross the great central valleys about Thursday and the Eastern States Friday. This disturbance will cause local snows in the Northern States. Another disturbance will reach the North Pacific Coast about Thursday and prevail over the Middle West near the end of the week. This disturbance will be attended by general rains and snows and be followed by decidedly cold weather."

TO RAISE GUINEA GRASS FOR PHILIPPINE ARMY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The Army promises to be relieved of heavy expense it has been under for many years in transporting hay from the Pacific Coast to the Philippines owing to the successful experiments of Brigadier-General John J. Pershing in raising "guinea grass" in Mindanao.

General Pershing has 40 acres under cultivation in "Guinea grass" which costs exactly 6.2 cents per hundredweight as against [illegible] cents charged by contractors and it is proposed to start the cultivation of this grass in other parts of the Philippines to supply all of the army needs for forage.

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FUGITIVE KNAPP CAUGHT AT OMAHA

Forger Who Escaped From Officer in San Francisco Is Captured.

(By Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—Lloyd E. Knapp, who escaped from officers in San Francisco while he was being taken from Los Angeles to San Quentin to serve a sentence for forgery, is under arrest in Omaha, Neb., according to information received here today.

At the Palace Hotel he made an excuse to use the telephone, and escaped almost under the eye of the sheriff, who had him in charge. A few days later a young man giving the name of Louis Kirsenmann was arrested in San Mateo, suspected of having held up a suburban [illegible] City attorney of San Mateo. To prove an alibi he showed that he was on a train going from Los Angeles to San Francisco the night of the holdup. He wrote out a copy of his dinner order in the dining car, and railroad officials verified the statement.

An hour after he was released on the strength of the dinner order it was found he was none other than Knapp, for whom a search was then being made.

TELEPHONES MAY PUT END TO STRIKE

Telegraphers Laid Off and New System Started on Railroad.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 29.—In anticipation of the strike of 1100 telegraphers employed on its lines, which probably will be called tomorrow, the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad last night laid off indefinitely 400 telegraphers and began to transform its telegraph lines into a telephone system of railroad communication.

This action disclosed the company's plans for resisting the strike, to the amazement of the telegraphers, shippers and railroad circles in general. Removal of all telegraphic instruments from the company's offices began yesterday. It is said this is the first time such a transposition of the use of wires has been made by a railroad to avert a strike.

Among those who will leave the service of the Frisco are many who were to present the demands of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers at a conference with the receivers of the road.

At noon yesterday 24 special trains each consisting of an engine and caboose, went out on the Frisco lines with right of way over all trains except passenger. The crew of each train removed the instruments from every station it passed and joined the telegraph wires at every mile. Thus 12,000 miles of railroad telegraph lines were converted into a telephone circuit.

Last night many points on the system were without telegraph communication. Today telephone operators will replace the telegraphers. The threatened strike will be forestalled by what practically amounts to a lockout, and it is stated by some Frisco officials here that the conference between the telegraphers and the receivers may not be held.

According to E. G. Levy, general manager of the railroad, over five miles of the Frisco's wires will be guarded day and night. At all points where it is necessary to give orders to trains, he said a deputy United States marshal will be on duty to protect the telephone operator.

No strike breakers will be hired in the event of the expected strike, Levy said. Telephone operators will be recruited from the main offices of the company, and several of these offices will be closed, if necessary, to allow the men to go to the front.

[illegible] the lines will be one at each of the 24 division points and one at headquarters for the use of officials in transmitting messages regarding the strike.

NEWSBOY HUSTLER IS MEDICAL STUDENT

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Backed by his savings from selling newspapers in Milwaukee, Philip Eisenberg yesterday begins his studies as a student at Rush Medical College.

Each Friday afternoon he will take the first train back to his home city to be ready to handle the Sunday editions of the Chicago newspapers, from the sale of which he obtained most of the money which he is now putting into an education.

While being known as a great newspaper hustler, he has hustled just as much while out of the public eye, and for several years attended night school at Marquette University to gain the standing necessary to permit him to enter the medical school.

Eisenberg has been active in the work of the Newsboys' Republic and has aided many of the young news venders. He says he is the second newsboy in his native city who has been enabled to enter a professional career by earnings from selling newspapers. The other boy, he says, has started a law course at Yale.

DISPLAYS BIG "ROLL"; ROBBED; JAPANESE HELD

STOCKTON, Dec. 29.—Because he quarreled with two Japanese restaurant keepers over 5 cents due on a 15-cent meal, Frank Brooks, a recent arrival from Jamestown, was robbed of $170.

Brooks was eating at a Japanese eating place with two other men, and when he started to leave he threw a dime on the counter. The two Japanese proprietors demanded a nickel more, and when he refused to pay the Japs insisted that he did not have enough to pay for his meal. That was too much for Brooks.

He reached into a vest pocket and whipped out a roll of seven ten dollar bills and twenty five-dollar greenbacks and snapped them in the faces of the Japs.

The little brown men thought no more about the nickel, but rushed at Brooks, who is 63 years old, and snatched the roll from him. The Japanese were arrested.

TRIAL NEAR END.

VICKSBURG, Miss., Dec. 29.—The end of the trial of State Senator G. A. Hobbs, on the charge of soliciting and receiving a bribe, was in sight Saturday, when the State closed its rebuttal testimony. The defense is [illegible] today.

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LEAN'S LYRICS ARE ORPHEUM DELIGHT

He and Girl Partner Divide Honors With Conroy and Diving Maids.

Cecil Lean, writer of clever lyrics, and who can deliver the same as well as he writes them, with Cleo Mayfield, a singer with grace, beauty—and gowns—are the headliners of this week's Orpheum bill—that is, when the honors aren't being divided with John F. Conroy and his diving girls. Lean's singing and comedy are as good as ever. Miss Mayfield looks charming, wears a blue dress and a pink one, and sings several songs. The hit of their act is an imitation of "Talking Pictures," in which a special phonograph record and much foolishness figure, to the end [illegible]

Conroy's diving girls are shapely—and so is Conroy. They open the act with a series of poses, and then all three disport themselves in a big tank. They show a number of difficult dives. Conroy's life-saving record is continually kept before the audience, but, outside of that, his act is well worth seeing, as his diving is good and the girls also display more than ordinary skill. The tank used is one of the largest ever seen on the vaudeville stage.

[illegible] as "The Girl With the Thrushing Voice," sings a number of new songs, and then makes her greatest [illegible] Suanee River," which she sings with rare charm. Her voice is good, her personality pleasing, and her gowns beautiful. Lou Anger, in his "German Soldier" monologue, philosophises humorously on war, and cavorts about the stage in a Civil War uniform. His jokes, however, aren't as old as the clothes, and his act is therefore pleasing.

Nonette, the violinist, in short skirts, gypsy costume and all, is back again. She sings as prettily as ever, and her violin playing is even improved. Nonette is one of the best violinistes in vaudeville. One of her selections yesterday, with a pizzicato effect of extreme difficulty, showed this.

Ed Corelli and Charles Gillette appeared primarily as acrobats, and onto their acrobatic offering hung a great structure of comedy and burlesque acting.

Bert Levy, the artist, opened his program with a sketch of Mayor Mott, and followed with several other celebrities, and a bit of artistic comedy. His act is one of the most novel in vaudeville, and his second week here is as successful as his first.

Ed Gallagher and Bob Carlin again appear in their nautical travesty and exclusive pictures round out the bill.

MACDONOUGH

Patrons of the Macdonough Theater are invited to sit in a comfortable opera chair and accompany the heroic Captain Scott, R. N., on his perilous journey to the south polar regions through the mediums of the all-conquering cinematograph, the performances beginning at yesterday's matinee.

Two shows will begin on New Year's eve, beginning at 7:30 and 9:45 o'clock. The pictures will be presented throughout the week, ending next Sunday. The regular performances will take place at 2:30 p. m. and 8:30 p. m.

The pictorial diary of this memorable Antarctic expedition was made by Herbert G. Ponting, F. R. G. S., official camera artist, who enjoyed the distinction of being the man selected by Captain Scott to make concrete animated records of the scenes and animal life encountered. Mr. Ponting was well worthy of the important post, by reason of his incomparable record as a war correspondent, both journalistic and photographic. He had already made pictures in thirty different lands and in every conceivable climate. This fact accounts for the faultless films secured by him. The entire press of Europe, as well as the scientists and other celebrities who witnessed the first run of the motion pictures in England, unanimously acclaimed them the greatest educational [illegible] produced and because of this fact, they have taken their place at the head of the column of wonderful achievements.

Some of the most striking features of the 25,000 feet of film secured may be enumerated as follows. An exciting football game on sea ice, the hatching of a wild bird's egg before the very lens of the camera, a ferocious killer whale half out of the water in mad pursuit of human prey; a frantic race between a Weddell seal with her calf and a school of these vicious whales, which crash up through the ice and thus precipitate the poor old seal into the water, where she resigns herself to her fate, but not until she has shown some remarkable feats of endurance and strategy; a furious storm at sea, when Captain Scott's worthy little ship, "Terra Nova," was all but sent to a watery grave, and she would have been, too but for the heroic sacrifice of Teddy Evans who disrobed and dived into the icy water to clean the pumps which became clogged with debris from the engine room, but there are so many things to tell about these wonderful pictures that one hesitates even to believe that he is competent to do them justice with mere rhetoric, and so he bids you see them for yourself as he did.

PANTAGES

"In and Out," a clever sketch in which mistaken identities, the wrong house, and a few other complications elicit laughter, is the bit of this week's Pantages bill. Walter S. Howe, a comedian of more than ordinary ability, and Miss Edna Northlane, pretty, blonde and clever, are the central figures, and an irate brother, a policeman or so and several other characters add to the fun. A "drunk" gets into the wrong house, makes love to the girl there, has an expected visitor arrested, and—well, it's too mixed to tell, and all one can do is laugh through it.

Second honors go to the trained seals. They balance balls on their noses and juggle with torches. It takes skill, even for a seal. The White Duo, man and woman, perform remarkable feats of strength.

Harlem Tommy Murphy, the fighter, appears in a neat boxing exhibition. He doesn't wear the usual tights, but appears in more presentable stage clothes—a white duck gymnasium suit. His act was more than well received. Peggy McClellan, songstress, also appears.

Leslie and Sol Berns, in an automobile skit, Blanche Gordon, in comical songs with grimaces to match, and exclusive motion pictures of California events rounded out the bill.

OAKLAND PHOTO

"Ben Bolt," the three-act feature of [illegible] at the Oakland Photo Theater, is a pleasing adaptation of the famous song. The plot is not exactly built on the old poem which won added fame through being introduced into "Trilby," but the plot of the photoplay is well up to the high Oakland standard. The settings and surroundings give the proper New England atmosphere, the old [illegible] is well presented, and the water scenes are remarkably clear, wonderfully tinted, and well selected. Joseph Levering takes the part of Ben Bolt, and his acting is good throughout. Claire Whitney enacts a truly sweet Alice. The story is clearly told, and easily followed, leading up to a happy ending.

"THE PORT OF DOOM."

An extra added feature is a three-part marine detective drama, featuring Laura Sawyer as Kate Kirby. It is a thrilling mystery of the sea, presenting a vivid and startling drama of human strength [illegible] ful death possible to conceive, death by the might of the merciless ocean.

"The Man Factory of Peer at Munich" is an extremely interesting bit of reel. Interesting views of quaint Antwerp, Versailes and "Life in Tripoli" are also included in the program, which continues until Wednesday night.

Starting Thursday and continuing until Saturday night a six-act photoplay of "Arizona" with Carl Scott in the lead, will be the attraction.

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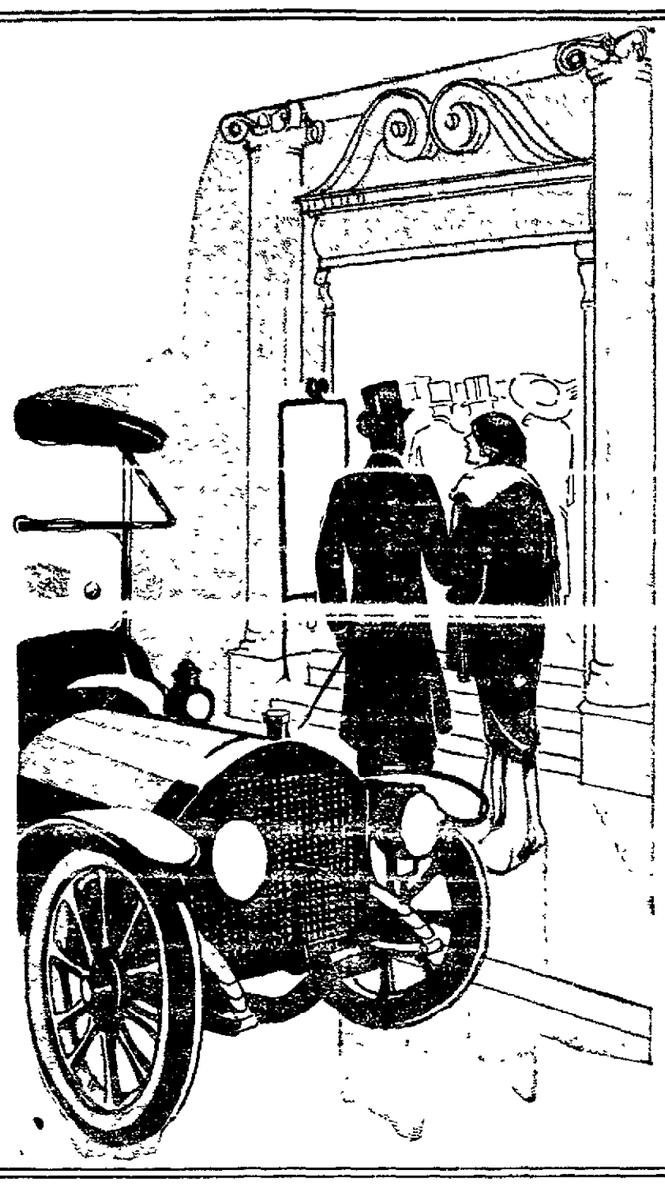

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ARE ENGLAND AND GERMANY AFTER TRADE?

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Information has reached Washington that Great Britain and Germany have entered into an offensive and defensive commercial alliance against the United States. These two powers, according to information received here, are operating under an agreement that is designed to check the growth of American commerce in every market in which it competes with German and British interests.

It is understood that the Government has instituted an inquiry through diplomatic channels to determine just how far reaching is the scope and purpose of this Anglo-German alliance.

Two recent developments bearing on American trade are said to point conclusively to the existence of an agreement between Great Britain and Germany to resist to the utmost the endeavors of his country to broaden and extend its foreign markets.

The first was the refusal of Great Britain and Germany to participate in the exposition to be held in San Francisco in 1915. The second was the abandonment by the National City Company of New York of its plan to establish a big branch bank in the Argentine Republic.

Despite the denial made by President Vanderlip of the National City Bank, the statement is made here that this institution was threatened by German and British interests, and that, accordingly it abandoned, temporarily at least, its purpose to establish a branch in Argentine Republic for the benefit of American trade.

MINING PROMOTER IS CHARGED WITH CRIME

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Donald Scott, a mining promoter, was arrested at the home of his mother here last night charged with violating the Mann white slave act. Miss Laura Leon, said to be the daughter of a ranch owner of Mexico, was taken into custody as a witness. The Government charges that she accompanied Scott to Chicago last October.

The Government charges that Scott took Miss Leon on the United States refuge transport Buford to Los Angeles, and from California to Chicago. Scott admitted that he had escorted the young woman from Mexico in the flight of nearly all foreigners from that country. He said she had been the guest of his mother here since reaching Chicago. Mrs. Scott and Miss Leon both protested that there had been nothing immoral in the relations of the two.

The raid was made on the complaint of Mrs. Dolores Scott, Scott's wife, from whom he separated three years ago. Scott's mother was bitter against her daughter-in-law after her son and their guest had been locked in cells.

"It is just spite work on her part," she said.

GAYNOR MEMORIAL FUND GROWING LARGER

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Mayor Kline announced yesterday that $7336.50 has been given to the Mayor Gaynor Memorial Association toward a monument to the late mayor. The list of contributors includes J. P. Morgan, Henry W. Taft, T. P. Shonts, Andrew Carnegie and Mayor Kline, each of whom gave $100. One contribution of $5 was made up of pennies from 500 school children.

GIRL ON BEACH IS KILLED BY BIG LOG

EUREKA, Dec. 29.—While watching the breakers from the ocean beach back of Samoa yesterday afternoon a large wave caused the log upon which Miss Mabel Blondin and Paul L. Hoefler were sitting, to roll over. The girl was crushed to death. Hoefler escaped unhurt but is nearly unbalanced from the shock. The girl's head and body were crushed to a pulp.

GAVE TOWNSHIP FREE SERVICES 17 YEARS

ORANGE, N. J., Dec. 29.—After having given seventeen years of service without pay to his home town, William H. Kemp, retired New York City banker, will resign tonight as president of the township committee, the governing body of South Orange township, New Jersey. As president of the committee and as president of the board of education, from which he retired several years ago, Kemp attended on an average of three meetings a week for seventeen years. At $10 a meeting, to which he was entitled and which he always refused to accept, it was figured that he had turned $26,620 back into the township treasury.

ONE KILLED, SIX HURT, UPON SAME MOTORCYCLE

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 29.—One man was killed and six were injured in two accidents on the Folsom road near here yesterday in which the same motorcycle played a role. Bert F. Bertagna, a machinist, met instant death when a motorcycle on which he and two friends, Angelo Soracco and George Gabriel, were riding, collided with the rear of a buggy in the dark. Gabriel and Soracco suffered cuts and bruises about the head and shoulders. The occupants of the buggy, William and Tony Firetas, brothers, were hurled to the ground by the force of the collision, both suffering severe lacerations on the head and chest.

The machines belonged to Frank Penny. Penny, previously in the day, lost control of the machine and crashed into a telegraph pole. He was helped to the city by Bertagna. The motorcycle was not damaged, so Bertagna proposed a ride with his two friends.

CRISIS IN SERVIA.

BELGRADE, Servia, Dec. 29.—Another Cabinet crisis is imminent. The War Minister resigned yesterday owing to the refusal of the Cabinet to pass the war budget.

STOMACH TROUBLES DISAPPEAR.
Stomach, liver and kidney troubles, weak nerves, lame back and female ills disappear when Electric Bitters are used. Thousands of women would not be without a bottle in their home. Eliza Pool of Depew, Okla., writes: "Electric Bitters raised me from a bed of sickness and suffering and has done me a world of good. I wish every suffering woman could use this excellent remedy and find out, as I did, just how good it is." As it has helped thousands of others, it surely will do the same for you. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c and $1.00. At all druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.
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PASTOR'S DISAPPEARANCE IS VEILED IN MYSTERY

JUNCTION CITY, Or., Dec. 29.—Rev. J. A. Ragsdale, pastor of the Methodist church here and formerly in charge of a church at Redding, Cal., has mysteriously disappeared, leaving his wife and four children destitute.

Rev. Mr. Ragdale was successful in his church work here, but recently got into business difficulties, which are believed to have preyed upon his mind. It was reported that he was seen to take a train for Portland, but he has not been discovered there, and his wife has not heard from him. Inquiries also have been sent to his old home in Redding and to other places where he has friends.

SHIPS CRASH IN FOG; 'NORTHLAND' IS DAMAGED

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 29.—The steamer Northland, bound from Portland for San Francisco, collided with the Belgian ship Kassoi, lying at anchor near the mouth of the Willamette river late yesterday. The Northland returned after the collision. Her bows are damaged. The Kassel remained at anchor. Dense fog is given as the cause of the collision.

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Influence of the Corn Club Movement.

The average yield of corn throughout the United States is less than thirty bushels per acre. This small average is in striking contrast to the enormous acre yields credited to the members of the boys' corn clubs formed through the efforts of the Agricultural Department. The boys are showing their elders what can be accomplished by intensive cultivation, intelligent selection of seed and scientific fertilization. They are proving that the solution of the food supply problem in the future is not in seeking new lands, but in utilizing to the best advantage the lands at present under cultivation. They have been impelled to do this by the judicious offer of prizes and the encouragement and instruction of the field agents of the Department of Agri-

For example, the leading prize winners of the boys' corn clubs have achieved results as remarkable as they are instructive. Walker Lee Dunson of Alexander City, Tallapoosa county, Alabama, not only leads the country, but has broken the record for corn production. Walker raised 232.7 bushels on a single acre, at a cost of only 19.9 cents per bushel. This exceeds the previous record of 228.75 bushels, at a cost of 42 cents per bushel, held by Jerry Moore of South Carolina. The second corn club boy this year is J. Jones Polk of Prentiss, Jeff Davis county, Mississippi, with 214.9 bushels, raised at a cost of 21.4 cents per bushel, and the third was J. Ray Cameron, Kinston, Lenoir county, North Carolina, with 190.4 bushels, raised at a cost of 33.25 cents per bushel.

The corn club idea originated with the Hon. James Wilson, who was Secretary of Agriculture under Presidents McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft, who perceived the necessity of organizing some movement for the renovation of worn-out soils and improving the methods of tillage, particularly in the Southern States, where the soils had been impoverished under the one-crop system. He organized boys' corn clubs in that section to stimulate interest in agriculture and to teach a great lesson by the force of example. He succeeded in bringing home to the farmers of the South a potential fact by inducing their sons to prove what the soil was capable of producing. The result is a great agricultural uplift all through the Southern States, with an attendant revival of keen interest in rural pursuits and soil production. Business men in the cities were quick to perceive that the promise of civic growth and prosperity lay in a profitable, scientific tillage of the soil, development of soil resources, diversified farming and the utilization of all by-products of staple crops.

A wide extension of the corn club idea has followed, although the movement is still in its infancy. The formation of girls' canning clubs has had the effect of improving the methods of growing tomatoes and other canning vegetables and bringing the canning factory to the farm. The tomatoes canned on the farm are of superior excellence because they are put up fresh and in perfect condition. So the preparation of field products for actual consumption has become a study and a source of profit. It has robbed the farm of some of its isolation and domestic life on the farm of its dreary drudgery. It has given employment and profit to country girls who crave something better in life than cooking, mending and feeding the chickens for their board and clothes. Study and ambition are stimulated by encouraging a revival of agriculture. At the same time prosperity is coming back to an impoverished people and fertility to an exhausted soil. In this scheme of social and industrial development the agricultural school is playing a large and important part.

Not the least hopeful feature of the development is that it springs from the native intelligence and industry of the people. When they were shown how to use their brains and hands on the opportunities at hand, they responded with enthusiasm, and in consequence the increased crop yields testifies to a more intelligent, hopeful and thrifty citizenship, a richer, and broader and more cultured rural life. The people are cultivating their minds while learning to cultivate their fields.

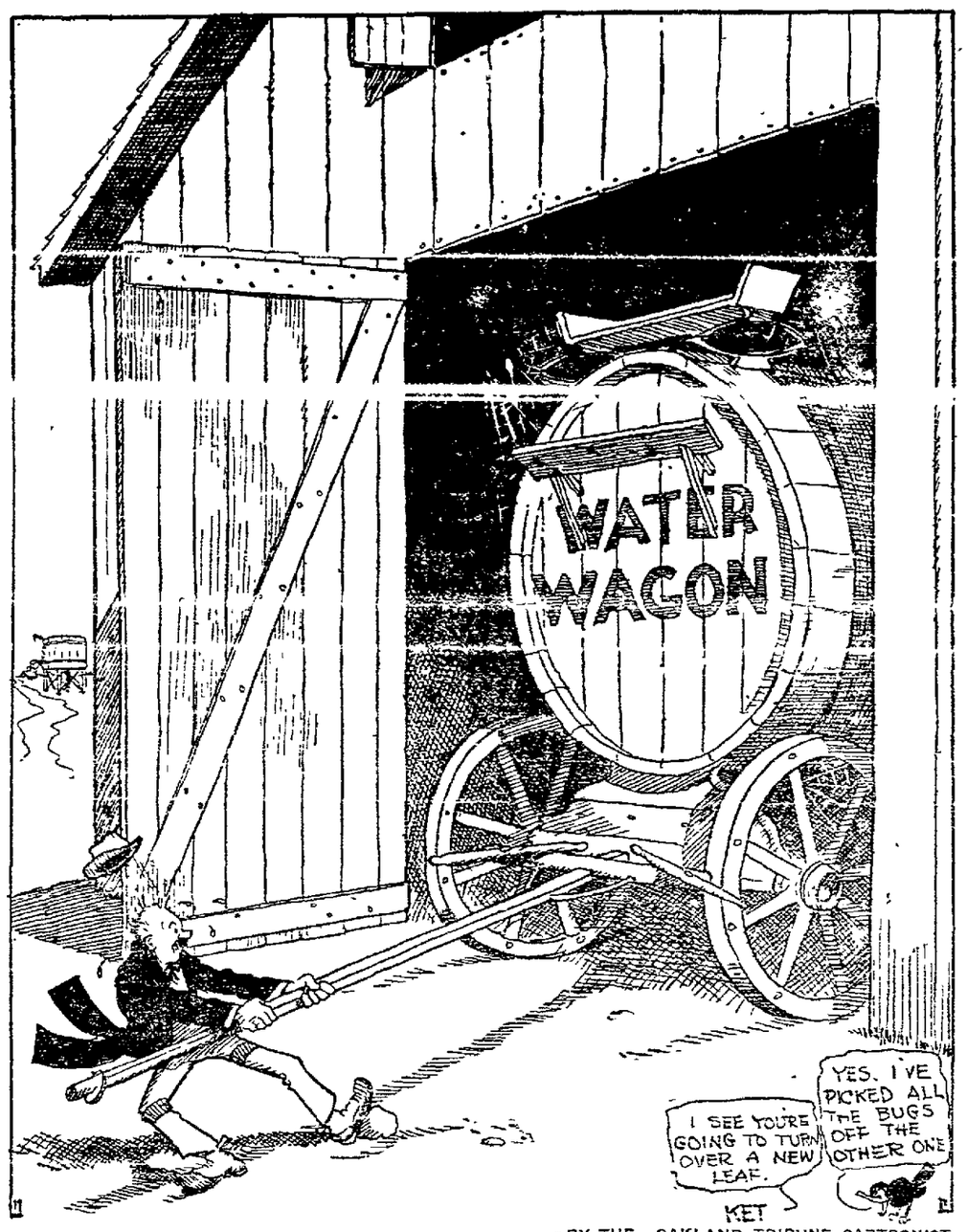
Burglars broke into the office of the Standard Oil Company in Stockton. We hope they did not water the oil.

The imaginative reporter who supplied the Chronicle with staggering estimates of egg-nog drinking in Oakland must have got his figures in an egg-nog bowl. They wabble as if they came from that source. He shortened up the population of Oakland to 120,000, and then guessed that everybody in town drank a glass of egg-nog. He drank for those that didn't drink, which made calculation easy. But in 1910 Oakland had 150,174 inhabitants and has largely increased in population since. Why should the Chronicle reporter feel called upon to reduce the population of this city while writing up his "smoke" story of Oaklanders celebrating Christmas with a grand egg-nog bust? Did the egg-nog give out at a critical moment and thus disturb his calculations, or did he mean to convey the idea that only two-thirds of the people of this town got drunk on egg-nog? Maybe the combination of eggs, sugar and whisky so swelled him up that he resolved himself into a noun of multitude by multiplying himself by 120,000. He appears to have been just about that drunk.

Banking and Speculation Divorced.

If the new currency law succeeds in bringing about a divorce between banking and speculation—to be more explicit, stock gambling and speculative promotion—it will go far to justify itself. That was one of the prime objects of its passage. Legitimate banking will not suffer by its severance from speculation. Trust organization is traceable directly to the directors' room of banks, and the scheme of consolidation so disastrous to the New Haven and Boston & Maine roads was the product of bank manipulation. That experiment in combining banking with speculative promotion inflicted an injury on legitimate investment and is a warning against similar experiments. Private bankers may engage in such business, but it is something the government should not foster and countenance. Banks have a [illegible] injury of the holders of stock in corporations which stand in the relation of debtor to banks. The plight of the New Haven road is an example. This old established road passed its dividend a short time ago, for the first time in forty years, because it was exploited for speculative purposes by its banking agents. Banks chartered by the government will not be permitted to do [illegible] in future, either directly or through alliance with [illegible].

LAUNCHING IT



—BY THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE CARTOONIST

Consumption of Intoxicants Decreasing

Recent statistics disclose the significant fact that the consumption of alcoholic liquors declined in every country in Europe, Russia alone excepted, during the year 1912. In Germany, Austria, France and England the same phenomenon is noted. Even in the Scandinavian peninsula the inhabitants are turning from intoxicants. In France the consumption of wine is decreasing, but there is a steady increase in the consumption of beer. The per capita consumption of alcoholic liquors is lowest in Ireland of all countries inhabited by Caucasians, but the prevailing fact is that civilized mankind is growing more temperate.

The exception presented by Russia is due to both natural and artificial causes. The Russian peasantry are the most ignorant people in Europe. Their lives are dull and squalid, and intoxication offers exhilaration and relief from toil and squalor. Moreover, the government encourages drinking. The manufacture and sale of the heavier alcoholic liquors is a government monopoly in Russia, and drinking is encouraged because the more liquor the people drink the more revenue the government derives from that source.

In all other countries drinking to excess is discouraged, both by the government and private employes. The demand for efficiency is making the world more temperate. Everywhere men are awakening to the fact that drinking is a handicap to success in life. The drinking man has less chance of employment than the sober one. In all positions of trust the sober man is preferred. Soberness is an indispensable requirement in many employments. The railroads, for instance, are very strict in the matter of ebriety with their operating employes. Public safety demands this, and enforced in consequence it is spreading to all other employments. Hence there is more discretion and self-control in the use of intoxicants.

In this country the improvement in this regard is apparent even to the casual observer. Drunkenness is not nearly so common as it used to be. Men are ashamed to be seen drunk, for it affects their business and social standing. It touches both their pockets and their pride, hence self-control is fortified by prudential considerations having a powerful restraining force. The effect on society is highly beneficial, morally and economically, and the conditions of life are much improved for the helpless victims of a social vice for which they are not responsible and which they cannot prevent.

It is to be hoped that temperance which springs from prudence and pride will increase as the years go by until the law of evolution will solve the drink problem.

Judging from its recent comments, the State Constitution should be compressed into a single phrase: The Legislature is empowered to do as it darn pleases.

A contemporary says the South is solving the Negro problem. The solution is quite simple. It lies in treating the Negro like a human being instead of a problem. He is an industrial factor of the first importance at the South, and the white people will consult their own interest by educating him and developing his powers as a producing agent. It follows that whatever lifts him in the social scale will be to the advantage of the white people among whom his lot is cast. A humane and enlightened policy of friendly encouragement is all that is needed to bring harmony [illegible] and a spirit of co-operation that will redound to the material prosperity of both. Treating the Negroes as Helots has retarded material and spiritual growth at the South. If they are to be treated in a more enlightened way, the Southern people will find themselves greatly benefited. There are many evidences of a changing attitude toward the Negro, but there is room for still greater changes than have yet been made. From a cold-blooded business point of view, it will pay the Southern whites to treat the Negro as a man.

Twenty Years Ago Today

In the cellar of M J Keller, the Broadway clothier, is a life-size plaster cast of Miss Kate Field, which, long since, should have decorated the parlors of the San Francisco Press Club. The cast has a history and is strangely the victim of circumstances, over which, thus far, nobody seems to have control. It was intended as an honor by the people of this county for the kindly expressed sentiments of the editor of Kate Field's Washington.

A meeting of Canadian Americans was held last night in the Grando Hotel to form in Alameda county a Canadian Mid-Winter Fair Association. Among the Oakland Canadians present were P. L. Bassett of Fruitvale, T. A. Draper, Ricard Weeks, J. B Thomas and H. G. Chisholm.

The new officers of the Oakland Lodge, Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, are as follows: President, George Samuels; vice-president, M. Happ; treasurer, S. Ringolsky, secretary, E. Bernstein, representatives to the Grand Lodge, A. Jonas, G Mosbacher, M Marcuse, J. M. Cohen, A. Jacobs and E. Bernstein.

Chris Evans, the outlaw, train robber and murderer, capped the climax of his career of crime last evening by escaping from the Fresno county jail. In company with a friend named Morrell, who visited his cell disguised as a waiter, he held up Jailer Scott and got out of prison. Mrs. Evans was present at the time. Morrell, who played the part of a waiter and caused Evans' release, is a detective and has been in Evans' service for several months. He was a prisoner in jail three months, and it is now thought he managed to get in jail just for the purpose of releasing Evans.

A license was issued this afternoon authorizing the marriage of Richard Holme Jr. of Denver and Fannie W. Orr of this city.

Leander Fiske, the agent of the Southern Pacific Company at Adeline street station, was stopped by footpads while on his way home last night. After having his money taken from him he was kicked and brutally beaten

R. D. Yelland, the artist, has returned from the East where he passed seven months in study and work. His celebrated painting, the "Twin Cities," Oakland and Alameda, has been offered to the University of California.

Mayor Fardee has vetoed the Dow anti-gate ordinance. Four of the five attorneys consulted by his honor decided that the section which prohibited the use of gates on railroad passenger cars was invalid and illegal.

BREEZY BITS

Manifestly the Order of the Carabao will have to furnish diagrams with its jokes.

Those "reasons" for the advance in the price of butter read strangely like excuses.

Railroad terminals can have no idea how good they will feel when they have taken the electrical treatment for their excessive smoking.

Canadian liberals are talking about reciprocity with the United States just as if to kiss and make up were the [illegible]

That appeal of the British suffragettes to the king is the greatest compliment that has been paid George since Mary married him.

"By their fruits ye shall know them," which applies in the case of public school tumults as well as to the other results of partisan politics

Only in the still watches of the night can the listening ear note the heavy, stertorous senatorial aspirations of the Hon. Roger Sullivan.

AN ELEPHANT ADVENTURE

Capt. C. H. Stigand tells in his new book, "Hunting the Elephant in Africa," of a narrow escape he had from a young bull elephant. The animal had charged the hunting party, with the usual result that the natives fled at their best speed. He dodged sharply from the path of the enemy and tripped over a fallen tree, dropping his rifle and just managed to seize it by the muzzle as the elephant was about to tread on it. He then dived head formost into the branches of the fallen tree "I made frantic efforts to crawl through but a stout branch resisted my progress, and at the same moment the Galongwa pushed in after me and pushed me through the branches of the tree to the other side. Two drops of blood from his forehead fell on my shorts, one on the thigh and one on the knee. Instead of pushing me straight kicked me sideways The impetus he gave me bent aside the stubborn branch and the next moment I found myself crawling out on hands and knees on one side of the tree with rifle still grasped by the muzzle, whilst the elephant was executing a dance and stamping up the the ground the other side, five yards from me, evidently thinking that I was under his feet.

"I quickly changed my rifle round and discharged it into his stern It was the last cartridge in the rifle. Having fired, the rifle was taken out of my hands, and I found Matola, who had counted the shots, standing beside me, serving me the second rifle as a waiter might offer a dish By some oversight it had not been loaded and I had given strict orders that none of my men were ever to load or unload my rifles Being a good soldier, Matola had not disobeyed this order, even under these extreme circumstances but had one the nearest to loading it he could

"The breech was open and he was holding the clip in position with his to do was to press it down as I took hold of the rifle, close the bolt, and I was ready to fire. The elephant was turning round and I shot him in the brain dropping him dead."

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All the folks around with a spirit of thankfulness presiding over the feast—all to translate their feelings into gratitude for the blessings bestowed. Whatever were our troubles they might have been far worse.
We will all greet the New Year
with gladness and Good Cheer!
Be of Good Heart for the Path
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And you will want good things to eat and drink—to awaken the hidden witchery of the tongue, flashing forth wit and mirth, bringing you in closer sympathy with your fellow beings.
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POLICE HUNT MELVILLE IN VAIN

Two Nights and Day of Vigilance Fail to Land San Quentin Escape.

False Alarm Takes Sleuths to West Berkeley Only to Arrest a Tramp.

BERKELEY, Dec. 29. — Despite the determined vigilance of the police departments of this and Oakland, Frank Melville, San Quentin escape, seems to have succeeded in making his escape after holding up Benjamin Citaro in West Berkeley Saturday night with an unloaded revolver and forcing Citaro to exchange clothes. No trace of the escaped convict has since been found.

It is not believed by Chief Vollmer that James Hurley, who broke from San Quentin with Melville Christmas eve, also came to this city. The men were seen together in Richmond Saturday morning, but when Citaro was held up Saturday night, Melville was alone. The theory is entertained that Hurley and Melville parted company at Richmond, Hurley probably taking the northern track toward Port Costa or Martinez and Melville coming this way.

With three details of patrolmen on the hunt, headed by Sergeants Lee, Woolley and Becker, the dragnet of West Berkeley was kept up all through Saturday night, yesterday, last night and today without avail. Immediately word of Citaro's encounter with Melville was received at police headquarters every exit from the city was patrolled, and the man hunters worked gradually in from these points toward the center of West Berkeley. No sign of Melville was seen. Oakland and Richmond police were meanwhile guarding the exits from Berkeley, but their efforts were equally futile.

It was thought Saturday night that Melville might try to make his escape by way of the municipal wharf and this exit from the city was placed under careful watch. The escaped convict did not appear there.

San Quentin has also placed its guard on the case, and they have been conducting a search of this section, but equally in vain with that of the local police. J. Monahan, prison guard, was the first on the hunt, and his search has taken him all the way from Richmond to Oakland, the mystery of Melville's departure after his meeting with Citaro bringing him to a halt at every turn.

The police received word this morning from West Berkeley of the appearance there of a mysterious character, said by the informant to resemble Melville. A detail of police was immediately sent for the man and he was soon rounded up. He proved to be a tramp who only distantly resembled the San Quentin escape.

The police do not share with Mrs. H. Kottas of the Wawona apartments the impression that Melville robbed her apartment Saturday. A description of the Wawona burglar has been furnished the police, but it does not correspond with that of Melville. Mrs. Kottas met the man in the hall as he was about to enter another apartment and he fled at sight of her. He was not apprehended.

MARRIED TENNIS PLAYERS DEFEAT BACHELOR TEAM

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — That married men are the superiors of the bachelors when it comes to playing tennis was proved conclusively yesterday afternoon, when a tournament was held on the Lincoln park tennis courts under the auspices of the Alameda Tennis club. Howard and Steele defeated Kearney and Sharp, the single men, the score being 6-2, 8-6. Clark and Donaldson, married, defeated Darms and Branschied, 11-9, 6-4. Mills and Rhine, married, won from Fisher and Stevenson, 6-1, 6-3.

In the singles matches Howard, married, defeated Branschied, 6-2, 6-3; Kearney, single, won from Steele, married, 6-2, 6-3. Stevenson, single, defeated Weber, married, 8-6, 8-6.

WOMAN FACING CHARGE OF BURGLARIZING ARK

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — Mrs. Anna Bassett is being held at the city jail under suspicion of having robbed the ark of O. E. Morton, located near the Webster street bridge. The woman is accused of stealing a revolver, a belt and a knife.

The authorities are now endeavoring to ascertain the charge that will be entered against the woman, as it is said that she has a prior conviction against her. If the prior is not used the charge will probably be petit larceny.

Mrs. Bassett, who is a seamstress, has been residing at the Webster hotel in Oakland. She is 50 years of age. The Oakland police placed her under arrest at the request of the local authorities.

PIONEER ALAMEDAN IS SUMMONED BY DEATH

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — Mrs. Franziska Minnie E. Arnheim died yesterday at her home, 3258 Buena Vista avenue. Mrs. Arnheim was the wife of William S. Arnheim. She was a native of Germany and 52 years of age. Deceased had resided in Alameda for 28 years and in the State for 30 years.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock from the undertaking parlors of the Albert Brown company and the remains will be cremated at the California crematorium.

YOUTH BREAKS ARM IN PLUNGE TO SIDEWALK

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — While practicing on a pair of skates he received as a Christmas gift, Sager Dean, 10 years of age, residing at 1403 Sixth street, slipped and fell to the sidewalk, sustaining a fracture of the arm. He was near Washington park at the time of the accident.

The boy was removed to the Emergency hospital, where he was attended by City Physician A. Hieronymus.

IS CALLED SOUTH.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — Dr. Althea Briggs, who has been spending the past few months in Alameda, has been called Governor with her little grandson. She may return to Alameda within a short time and may decide to remain in the south, her definite plans to be decided later.

CURED OF LIVER COMPLAINT.

"I was suffering with liver complaint," says Iva Smith of Point Blank, Texas, "and decided to try a 25c box of Chamberlain's Tablets, and am happy to say that I am completely cured and can recommend them to every one." For sale by Osgood Bros. Drug Stores.

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CHIEF STEINMETZ WEDS MISS LEWIS

Intended "Surprise" Leaks Out Through Zeal of Alameda Official's Friend.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — Fire Chief Walter Steinmetz, thinking to create a surprise and, as it were, "slip one over on his many friends in this city," went to San Jose today and claimed Miss Lilly Lewis of this city as his bride. But the best of plans [illegible] chief's friends, in a burst of enthusiasm over the event, told of the marriage plans and the wedding of the chief will be announced before he returns from the garden city.

Accompanied by Mrs. Sarah Lewis, Fire Chief Steinmetz and his intended bride went to San Jose this morning. They left without saying a word to a single soul outside the respective families. The details of the marriage have not been told as yet, but it is known that the simple ceremony was to be performed as soon as the party arrived in the garden city.

At the chief's office this morning, Assistant Chief Frank Millington was on [illegible] when asked for information, not letting the cat out of the bag if he knew anything about it.

It has been suspected for some time that the genial fire chief was to clamber out of the bachelor class and join the benedicts, but just when was not known. But now he has "gone and done it" and will be heaped with congratulations upon his return.

Mrs. Steinmetz is prominent in this city, having resided in Alameda for about 12 years. She is the daughter of [illegible] and sister of Roy and John Lewis, Mrs. Hermann Bussman, Mrs. Harry La Jeunesse [illegible] City, Mrs. William Pierce of Sacramento and Mrs. F. P. Saviers of Stockton.

Steinmetz is the son of T. F. Steinmetz of 1431 Sherman street and brother of Miss Emma, Bruno, William and Rudolph Steinmetz. He is a native of Alameda and has a host of friends. He joined the fire department some years ago and was soon elevated to captain, then to second assistant chief and to the position of chief following the death of F. K. Krauth.

MISS LILY LEWIS.

LATEST NEWS FROM RICHMOND

PRISON ESCAPES COMMIT BURGLARY

Richmond Police Believe Residence Was Entered by Hurley and Melville.

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—That the home of William Jamison at 338 Fourteenth street was [illegible] by the escaped convicts, James Hurley and William Melville Saturday evening as they were passing through the city, is now the belief of the local police. The Jamison home was broken into Saturday evening about 6:30 o'clock by two men, who smashed a rear window and after making a hasty search of the place, they made away with one suit of men's clothing, a brown overcoat and a soft dark hat.

Neighbors who saw them running from the house describe them as wearing slickers and as making their way toward the Southern Pacific main tracks. Later they were seen boarding a car into Oakland, but failure of residents to notify the police at once was responsible for their escape. The Jamison robbery occurred about 6:30 o'clock, while about 7:30 o'clock Frank Melville, one of the men, held up a West Berkeley resident. This would have given the two men plenty of time to reach Berkeley for the second job after the Richmond burglary. The fact that they took fresh clothing but men's clothes leads the police to believe that it was probably the convicts who might have remained in the vicinity of the city in hiding until darkness and then prepared to make a quick getaway.

MANY ATTEND SPECIAL SERVICES AT CHURCHES

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—The program of Christmas carols rendered yesterday morning at the Wesley Methodist church by the famous Vallejo choristers under Professor Leaves, proved a big drawing card at the services and the large auditorium of the church was filled with worshippers. The program proved one of special merit and interest, the choir being composed of thirty voices.

In the evening the local choir of the church rendered a special musical program of Christmas carols.

St. Mark's Catholic church was crowded at the 10 o'clock service when the choir repeated the special program which it rendered at the services on Christmas day.

RICHMOND REALTY MAN RAPIDLY RECOVERING

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—T. P. Fay, the realty operator of this city who was injured in an auto wreck on Ashland avenue last week, is reported to be resting easily at his home in Berkeley.

Whether or not Fay sustained a fracture of the hip has not as yet been ascertained as it was impossible to make an X-ray examination of Fay while he was in such a precarious condition. The wrecked machine which Fay was driving at the time the accident took place, was towed to the Mount Diablo garage, where it is to be repaired.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE FOR POPULAR RICHMOND MAN

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—A delightful surprise party in honor of the birthday of A. Voss was tendered to that popular Richmondite last evening at his home 453 Tenth street, this city, when forty friends and members of the Mannerchor gathered to congratulate him upon passing another milestone in his life. The evening was spent in an enjoyable manner with singing and dancing. The festivities were concluded with a "feed." The interior of the home had been prettily decorated for the occasion, while Voss was down town and when he returned home it was to find the merrymakers already in possession.

RICHMOND YEOMEN WILL CELEBRATE NEW YEAR

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—New Year's night is to be observed by the Yeomen with an open meeting to which all the friends of the lodge will be invited. A short program is to be given by local talent and this will be followed by dancing.

The committee in charge of the affair consists of Mrs. I. E. Bonham, Mrs. Mary Thomas, Mrs. Grace Kahler, Mrs. R. B. Bryant and Mrs. Dick Williams.

PRECINCT MAP FOR RICHMOND

New Broadway Lines Drawn Up for Election Purposes.

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—County Clerk J. H. Wells, while here this morning, left with City Clerk A. C. Forte a map of the city, as it will be divided into the new election precincts approved by the board of supervisors at a recent meeting of that body. Under the new arrangement the city will have twenty-four precincts practically along the lines of the recommendations made by the city council, with some few slight changes in boundaries.

On the west side of the city there will be six precincts instead of five as in the past, precinct 5 being cut up into two precincts under the new arrangements. Precinct No. 10, on the east side, has been cut up into three precincts, while several new precincts have been added, both in the Santa Fe section and the annexed district.

WILL TELL OF CHURCH WORK AMONG INDIANS

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—There are to be special services at the Presbyterian church, corner of Twelfth and Bissell, Thursday afternoon and evening, when Harry Rimmer, a great worker among the Indians, will be present and will tell about his experiences among the Indians and of their conditions. Mr. Rimmer has just returned from an extended tour of investigation among the Indians of Lake, Sonoma and Mendocino counties. This tour is preliminary to the opening of a definite work at Upper Lake by which it is hoped that a new condition will be brought about in the work with the Indians of that region.

Rimmer is just entering upon a tour of fifty places in fifty days, speaking to churches and young people's societies concerning the Indian's needs and condition. And Richmond is very fortunate to be one of the fifty places to hear his interesting message. Especially the young people of all the churches are urged to be present and give Mr. Rimmer a good hearing.

REV. CLARK CALLED TO FILL RICHMOND PULPIT

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—The congregation of the First Christian church yesterday morning adopted a resolution which had already been adopted by the board of trustees, extending a call to Rev. H. H. Clark for the pastorate which was recently vacated by the resignation of Rev. Aubrey Wilson.

A call was issued two weeks ago to Clark, but owing to technical details that were not exactly satisfactory it was decided to withdraw the original call and issue the new one, which was approved yesterday morning by the congregation.

Clark has preached a number of sermons here and has made an excellent impression upon the members of the church as being a man well fitted to carry on the work of that denomination in Richmond.

CATHOLIC LADIES BEAR DAINTIES TO HOSPITAL

BERKELEY, Dec. 29. — Members of Berkeley branch, No. 9, Catholic Ladies' Aid Society, visited the County Infirmary yesterday afternoon and distributed presents to the inmates. The members of the party had two automobiles loaded down with home-made dainties, cakes, jelly and fruits for the hospital patients. During the afternoon there was a program, including prayer and music. Among the women attending were Mrs. M. Abrott, Mrs. A. Curran, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. G. Sheridan, Mrs. Lynch, Mrs. Beankers, Mrs. L. Allen, Mrs. P. Freeman, Mrs. F. W. Foss, Miss Helene Sheridan and others. Miss Sheridan participated in the musical program of the afternoon. The party were the guests of Supervisor Foss and P. Freeman.

AGENTS TO APPEAR BEFORE RICHMOND BOARD

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—That agents of the corporation which has taken up large water rights on McCloud river in the northern section of the state will endeavor to interest the Richmond municipal water district in a proposition by which this section will be supplied with McCloud water, was the unconfirmed report in circulation here yesterday.

It is said that a definite proposition will be submitted to the directors at their meeting early next month.

STUDY PROBLEMS OF IRRIGATION

Professor Etcheverry Reports on Important Discussion at Salt Lake.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Dec. 29.—Where there is more land to irrigate than water to irrigate with, how shall the water be made to do most?

How shall an [illegible] irrigation supply through seepage—a waste which means waterlogged farms.

How can mixed farming and co-operation be promoted and more and better homes be established on the land?

How shall the Government's huge irrigation projects be made truly successful, and of the greatest possible benefit to the average man?

These were some of the irrigation and land matters of [illegible] everybody considered at the recent conference of the United States Reclamation Service in Salt Lake City. Professor B. A. Etcheverry, head of the Department of Irrigation of the University of California, attended as a delegate from the University this conference of the officials of the Reclamation Service, representatives of the United States Department of Agriculture, of agricultural colleges, etc. He has now reported to Acting President David P. Barrows as follows on the most important results of the discussions engaged in on the problems of operating, maintaining, and successfully developing American irrigating projects:

"To operate and maintain an irrigation system with greatest efficiency and most satisfaction to the settler, the water should be delivered to the settler at the highest point on his farm and not at the nearest main lateral, which requires the construction of a private or partnership ditch. The waste of water on irrigation systems is due to speeage losses in porous canals and to wasteful methods of applying water to the soil. To decrease seepage losses in canals, which will amount on a new project from 40 to 60 per cent of the water diverted from the river, lining of canals is necessary.

To decrease the waste resulting from poor irrigation practice, the most practical means is to force better methods by measuring the water delivered to each farmer and make charge in proportion to the amount of water used instead of making a flat charge per acre. The farmer should also be educated into the better methods of irrigation. In nearly all irrigated districts the area of land that can be irrigated is limited by the available water supply, and the greatest benefit to the community will be obtained by not giving a large supply of water to a limited area of land, but by reducing within practicable limits the volume of water delivered to each acre, so as to obtain maximum crop returns from the limited water supply. This must be based on a number of practical considerations such as value of water, value of land, cost of applying water, value of crops.

"It was gratifying to learn that the graduates who have gone from the University of California during the past few years to a number of Government projects are making good. Of seven managers of Government irrigation projects present at the conference, three were former students of civil engineering and irrigation in the University of California. I believe that the [illegible] specially trained in irrigation will continue to be greater than the supply."

AGRICULTURE CLUBS IN MANY HIGH SCHOOLS

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Dec. 29.—Agricultural clubs have now been formed in a number of California high schools, in co-operation with the agricultural students at Berkeley. Among these are Ferndale, Arcata and Fortuna, in Humboldt county, and Yreka, Napa, Santa Ana and Santa Barbara. The University plans to hold during the coming year crop-growing and animal-raising contests throughout the State, in which the members of these and other clubs will participate. Anyone who wants to start such a club in his own neighborhood will have the hearty co-operation of the Agricultural Club of 500 students of the College of Agriculture at Berkeley, if he will write to their organization at the University. A number of University students are spending the Christmas holidays helping in the organization of such clubs in various parts of California.

The system of boys' clubs and of farm advisors is best developed in the southern states and in the Mississippi valley. It is yielding millions of increased product to the farmers of America already, and is expected to add incalculably to the productivity of American farms and the prosperity of American farmers.

RICHMOND DUCK HUNTERS HAVE AN EXCITING TIME

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—No longer will Frank Roberts write the title of "Captain" after his name. For in these many years the sturdy little sailor has delighted in the cognomen given to those who are capable of directing things nautical, but since Friday there has been a sad lack of the "ocean wave" stuff.

Roberts invited Jack Holliday and Carl Lindow out for a day's hunting of the festive duck on the El Sobrante flats. The nimrods spent a glorious day with splendid success in a blind off shore. When it came time to return home, "Captain" Roberts ordered the anchor raised and the sails set, but the craft refused to move. Most of the ducks and much other sundry baggage was cast to the fishes, but still the boat refused to perform. As the shades of night were rapidly filling the brave sailors got out and shoved the boat for nearly a mile over the mud to the shore. Duck hunting no longer holds any charms for the trio.

FIGHTS FOR LIFE WITH MAD HOLSTEIN BULL

WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 29.—While passing through his feed lot, Perry Brandon, a farmer, was attacked by a nine-months-old Holstein bull, which knocked him down and broke several of his ribs. Brandon got a hold on the bull's nostrils and protected himself from being gored while he took his knife from his pocket. Opening the knife, Brandon plunged the blade into the animal's eye, which so discomforted the bull that it retreated and Brandon got over a fence to safety. He slashed his arm severely while opening the knife.

Render Christmas Music Program Given at Church

MRS. CHARLES POULTER, who directed the choir at College Avenue Methodist Church.

BERKELEY, Dec. 29. — Christmas exercises were held yesterday at College Avenue Methodist church. A special feature was made of the music at the evening service. Mrs. Charles Poulter, a soprano soloist well known about the bay, directed the choir and the soloists in an interesting program which was heard by a large congregation.

Anthems, organ numbers and duets and quartets furnished the selections of the evening. Assisting Mrs. Poulter were Miss Lola G. Gwin, organist; Mrs. Herbert Bartlett, contralto, Miss Ruth Simpson, soprano, Miss Carrie Weston, violin and William H. Thompson, tenor. The program presented was as follows: Organ prelude, "Grand Offertoire de Ste Cecil No. 2" (Batiste); processional; anthem, "Arise, Shine, for Thy Light Is Come" (Sir George J. Elvey); prayer; anthem, "From Egypt's Bondage Come" (Arthur Pape), soprano and contralto solo and chorus, "O Sing Unto the Lord" (Noel), soprano solo, Mrs. Charles Poulter, contralto solo, Mrs. Herbert Bartlett; tenor solo, "Christmas Song" (Spence), William H. Thompson; address, "Jesus and His Mother," Dr. Williams; chorus, "O Divine Redeemer," (Gounod); soprano solo, "Hark! Hark! My Soul" (Shelley), Miss Ruth Simpson; violin solo, "Meditation" (Massenet), Miss Carrie Weston; "Ave Maria" (Gounod), Mrs. Charles Poulter, with violin obligato by Miss Carrie Weston; benediction, organ prelude.

TWENTIETH CENTURY HAS INTERESTING CALENDAR

BERKELEY, Dec. 29. — The choral section of the Twentieth Century Club will open the new year for the club with a recital Tuesday afternoon, January 6. The soloists on this occasion will be Mrs. Grace Neff and Mrs. Clarence W. Peck. On the afternoon of January 20 Rev. H. J. Loken will be the guest of the club, when he will deliver an address on "The Land of the Midnight Sun," illustrated with stereopticon views. The club's hostesses for the month will be Mrs. Edward Henderson and Mrs. J. E. McCreary. Mrs. W. W. Hunt will be tea hostess and Mrs. T. B. Pickey and Mrs. B. M. Newcomb will have charge of decorations.

FUNERAL OF BANKER.

BERKELEY, Dec. 29. — The funeral of the late Andrew McCallen, former mayor of Ashland, Oregon, and a prominent banker of the coast, was held this afternoon at a local undertaking parlor. The services and the subsequent cremation were privately and simply conducted. McCallen organized the First National Bank at Lakeview and later a bank of a similar name at Ashland. He was president of the latter up to the time of his recent retirement, when he came with his family to make his home in Berkeley. He has resided in this city at 2330 Haste street. He is survived by two sons and three married daughters.

NEWMAN CLUB SERVICE.

BERKELEY, Dec. 29. — Rev. Father Thomas Lantry O'Neill, C. S. P., delivered the sermon at the Newman Club yesterday, his subject being "The Octave of Christmas." A special musical program marked the service. Rev. Father O'Neill dwelt upon "the love of God for man and the spirit of love abroad in the land in the Christmas season." A number of Catholic students of the university are wintering in this city over the vacation, and were in attendance yesterday.

VISITS FROM ALASKA.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — H. R. Plate, mining engineer, a graduate of the College of Mining at Stanford university, arrived from Alaska Saturday evening, and is with his mother, Mrs. Gertrude Plate at her home on Pearl street. The former Californian, who has achieved much in his profession, will be in the bay cities for two weeks and is en route to New York, where he will make a report of his mission to the northwest. Many old friends are greeting the visitor.

MAN OF 29, SPENDS 21 YEARS IN PRISON

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 29.—Arthur Patten, who for 29 years of life has had only eight of freedom, was arrested again today and sent to jail charged with stealing a pair of wagon wheels from a blacksmith shop.

When Patten was nearly nine years old he was sent to the reform school for petty thievery. He was paroled but had been free less than a week when arrested for stealing food from a home in Osage City.

After finishing his unexpired sentence in the reformatory he returned to Osage City where he was arrested shortly for burglary and sent to prison.

Last summer Governor Hodges paroled Patten from the penitentiary on the ground that he had never had a chance. The governor obtained a job for Patten in a packing house. According to the man's employers he had worked hard and conscientiously until the matter of the wagon wheels came up.

DOUBLE FUNERAL HELD FOR COLONEL KINNE

BERKELEY, Dec. 29. — Double funeral services were held this afternoon for the late Colonel Charles Mason Kinne, whose death occurred Christmas day during the celebration of the holiday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clark Burnham, wife of Dr. Burnham of Bushnell Place. Services were held privately at the Burnham residence, attended only by the relatives and closest friends. Later a public service was held at the Presidio in San Francisco under the joint auspices of the Grand Army and the Loyal Legion.

Colonel Kinne was a pioneer of this state and a prominent figure in army circles. He was a veteran of the Civil war through which he served in the Massachusetts cavalry. He was formerly senior vice-commander of the Grand Army.

ALAMEDA KIDDIES TO BE GUESTS OF ELKS

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — The kiddies of Alameda will be the guests tomorrow afternoon, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock, of the Alameda Lodge of Elks. The local B. P. O. E. have arranged a Christmas tree in the rathskeller and each little guest will be provided with a bit of Christmas cheer.

An invitation is extended to all the little children of Alameda to attend the affair. Games will be arranged to amuse the children and there will be a general good time. It is certain that tomorrow afternoon the Elks' rathskeller will be filled to overflowing with hundreds of the eager little children.

ALAMEDA RAILROADMAN DIES IN EL PASO, TEXAS

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — Word has been received in this city of the death in El Paso, Texas, of James Joseph Darcey, who was for years a conductor on the local lines of the Southern Pacific company. The family removed from this city 12 years ago. Darcey was connected with the local lines about ten years.

Darcey was a veteran railroad man and 58 years of age. He was a member of the El Paso chapter of the Order of Railway Trainmen. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Pauline Darcey, a daughter, Mrs. John J. Dolmendi and a son, James C. Darcey.

BOARD WILL CONVENE.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — The board of electricity will hold its last meeting of the year tomorrow evening. The year's business will be reviewed and plans for extension during the coming year discussed.

ADELPHIAN CLUB PLANS RECEPTION

Social Section to Hostess Affair in Celebration of New Year.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — The advent of the New Year will be celebrated with a reception at the Adelphian club Saturday next, when the social section under [illegible] affair. The regular union meeting day is January 1, but owing to the many other social demands for the day the reception was postponed to Saturday, when the chief attraction will be the well known writer and lecturer, best known as the poet, Frederick Emerson Brooks. This will be the only event of the week in club circles in this city, but a number of oca residents are interested in [illegible] clubs outside of town.

The Tea club will have one of the first meetings of the new year Monday next, when Mrs. Hermann Dexter will be hostess at her home on Santa Clara avenue. Mrs. F. B. Weeks will repeat the review of Winston Churchill's "The Inside of the Cup," which she recently gave before the new book section of the Adelphian club. The scholarly review will be a special attraction for the afternoon.

BERKELEY Y. M. C. A. TO CELEBRATE NEW YEAR'S

BERKELEY, Dec. 29. — A celebration which will include open house, gymnastic program and concert recital is planned by the Berkeley Y. M. C. A. for New Year's day. Exercises will begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and continue into the evening, interrupted only for dinner hour. The physical department has charge of the afternoon affair and Lowell Moore Redfield the evening musical program.

W. L. Seawright, head of the physical department, is directing the preparations for the afternoon. He has arranged a program including the following: exercises by gymnasium team on apparatus; basketball game between 145 pound teams of Y. M. C. A. and Berkeley high, rope skipping, running high jump, obstacle race. A reception will be held in the lobby of the association and the dormitory apartments will be open to inspection.

The concert directed by Redfield in the evening is expected to be one of the musical events of the season in this city. It is the second of a series of concerts the association is holding. The entire evening will be given over to Redfield, who will be assisted by Mrs. Jo S. Mills, contralto, and Miss Miriam Weihe. Mrs. Mabel Hill Redfield will be the accompanist.

TEST TO BE MADE OF GARBAGE INCINERATOR

BERKELEY, Dec. 29. — Official test is to be made this week of the new municipal incinerator on the bay shore at the foot of Harrison street. Garbage is being taken to the incinerator daily for unofficial tests, and draughts and other details of the plant being adjusted. The council has passed an ordinance creating the positions of superintendent, engineer, weighmaster, laborers and firemen.

The new crematory has three furnaces for regular garbage and a special consumer for decomposed carcasses of animals. With the three furnaces in operation it is estimated that the crematory can handle about 50 tons of refuse a day.

Arrangements have yet definitely to be made regarding the collection of the garbage, a problem the council is to attack at once.

ALAMEDA ELKS TO HOLD MERRY JINKS TONIGHT

ALAMEDA, Dec. 29. — Members of Alameda lodge of Elks will make merry this evening at the annual Christmas jinks in the spacious clubrooms on Santa Clara avenue. The committee of arrangements has arranged a program that will kill all dull moments and make the affair one of the liveliest in the history of the organization.

The yuletide spirit will prevail this evening. There will be a huge Christmas tree, laden with gifts for the members. There will be a spark of humor in each gift and the opening of the prizes and the consequent astonishment on the part of the recipients will be one of the features of the jinks.

At the close of the affair there will be a sumptuous Christmas feast.

CONVICTS BEING TAUGHT SCIENCE OF FARMING

BISMARCK, N. Dak., Dec. 29.—North Dakota convicts are having given to them an opportunity to become conversant with better farming methods at the State penitentiary, the new method of handling the State's farm being conducted under the direction of Warden Frank Talcott and excellent results are being obtained.

Deputy Warden Charles Jacobson, a practical farmer and former Sheriff of Walsh county, is directly in charge of the farming operations, and has brought about many changes in the method of handling the State's convict agricultural activities that are designed to give the convicts an opportunity to study modern farming methods.

The suggestion to make the penitentiary a better farming school came originally from the North Dakota Bankers' Association. The bankers believed that this would open a new avenue of pursuit to men behind the bars, and farm work has come to be looked upon as a favored occupation by the convicts.

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Heart TRIBUNE'S PAGE for WOMEN Home

Society

MISS HARLAN BENTLEY, whose betrothal to Harold R. Smith has been announced through cards. —Scharz, Photo.

NEW YEAR'S EVE at the Hotel Oakland will be an event long to be remembered, for on that date many of the representative families of Oakland and San Francisco will assemble to welcome the New Year. Preceding the event of 1914 there will be a dinner dansant and reservations have been made for some of the most elaborate dinner parties of the season. Among those who are to entertain with large parties are Mr. and Mrs. Harris Cebert Capwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. John Louis Lohse, Mr. and Mrs. Millard J. Laymance, Dr. L. F. Herrick, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bibbins, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar P. Stone, Mrs. Daniel Easterbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leonard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Camus, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Forsterer, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hotle, Mrs. Harry Maxwell, J. P. Edeff, Mr. and Mrs. Philip E. Bowles, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart S. Hawley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chickering, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dinsmore, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bray, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hilliard Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Orr, Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Conners, Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Reed and many others.

It is expected that several hundred will be present at the after-dinner dance and the evening will be marked by the brilliance of the beautiful gowns that will be worn by the ladies present on that date.

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MISS BENTLEY ENGAGED.

Cards have been sent out by Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bentley of San Leandro announcing the betrothal of their daughter, Miss Harlan Bentley, and Harold R. Smith of Los Angeles. Miss Bentley attended Mills College and is also a graduate of the Berkeley High School. She has scores of friends in the college town. The young couple will make their future home in Los Angeles following their marriage, which will be an event of the coming year.

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ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT.

Another interesting announcement is that of the engagement of Miss Marjory Gardiner and Lieutenant William C. Harrison, U. S. A. The announcement was made at a pretty affair given in honor of Miss Edith Harmon, the fiancee of John Cleveland Whipple of Decoto. Miss. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gardiner of this city. She is a graduate of the University of California and has taken an active part in the social gatherings of the college town. Lieutenant Harrison is the son of Colonel and Mrs. Harrison of Washington, D. C. There has been no date set for the marriage and prior to the wedding Miss Gardiner will be much feted by the social set this side of the bay.

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LEAVE FOR SOUTH.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred Richards of Richmond left today for Los Angeles, where they will be the guests of honor at a dinner party on New Year's day at the new residence of Rev. and Mrs. Martin.

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RETURNS TO CLAREMONT HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hillman and their daughter, Miss Mary Hillman, have returned to their home in Claremont after having spent a part of the holiday season in Los Angeles with relatives. Later Miss Mary Hillman will return to the south for an extended visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. N. Aker. The Hillmans will spend New Year's at their home in Claremont.

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THREE BIG WEDDINGS.

Tomorrow will be the occasion for three of the largest weddings of the season in which three bride-elect belong above the social elect of the city. In Berkeley a smart military wedding will be that of Miss Miriam Blacker and Lieutenant Robert Wilmer Pinger, U. S. A. The ceremony is to take place in Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church in the presence of three hundred guests. Miss Helen Blacker will be the maid of honor for the bride-elect, while the bridesmaids are to be Misses Beth and Edna Donkin, Verna Pinger, Miss Mabel Mattern, Miss Critzer and Miss Dorothy [illegible]. A group of army officers will act as ushers for the evening. Harry Pinger will be groomsman for his brother.

The wedding will be strictly military and a number of army friends will be introduced at the wedding. A wedding supper and reception will follow the ceremony at the church, taking place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Blacker of Berkeley. Following a honeymoon trip Lieutenant Pinger will take his bride to reside at the Benicia arsenal.

The second wedding of interest is that of Miss Mabel Clinch and Roy Tremoreux in Grass Valley and already a number from the bay region have gone there for the ceremony. Several hundred guests will witness the ceremony in the Episcopal church and a reception will follow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clinch, parents of the bride-to-be. Miss Marion Clinch is to be maid of honor and among the bridesmaids are Miss Elizabeth Smillie, Miss Helen Matthews, Miss Helen Atherton and Miss Isabelle Hill. Walt Tremoreux, who has just arrived from New York, will be best man for his brother. The ushers are to be Arthur Foote, Raymond Clinch, Dr. Carl Jones and Gordon Walker.

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PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

A pretty home wedding Saturday was that of Miss Charlotte Fredericks and George W. May, the marriage taking place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. John E. Clark of Terrace street. The bride is a descendant of one of the oldest of the Knickerbocker families in New York and is a member of the Gamma Kappa Club. May is also a member of one of the pioneer families of California.

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MILL VALLEY WEDDING.

In Mill Valley, at the residence of the bride's parents, Miss Helen Runyon will become the bride of Amos Elliott tomorrow evening, and about two hundred guests will witness the marriage ceremony. A number from the college town will attend, as both the bride and groom-to-be were graduates of the University of California.

Elliott is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Elliott of Alcatraz avenue and is engaged in business across the bay.

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MONDAY BRIDGE CLUB MEETS.

Mrs. Andrew Moseley entertained the members of the Monday Bridge Club this afternoon at her home here and bridge was the diversion offered the guests. Following an afternoon of cards, a social hour was enjoyed over the tea cups. Among those who are members are Mrs. Harris Cebert Capwell, Miss Mary McElise, Miss Grace Fisher, Mrs. H. C. Davis, Mrs. L. W. Storer, Mrs. T. G. Harrison, Mrs. Harry Benner, Mrs. Chas. J. Woodbury, Mrs. M. K. Miller, Mrs. F. B. Ogden, Mrs. A. F. Cornwall, Mrs. G. R. Child, Mrs. C. W. Kinsey, Mrs. D. E. Easterbrook and a few others.

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SPENDING HOLIDAYS ABROAD.

The visit of Miss Louise Whitehead, who has been abroad for more than a year, is fast drawing to a close, as the visitor will leave for California early in January. Miss Whitehead is now in London. In Paris she was the guest of Professor and Mrs. Foulet, formerly of the University of California. Miss Whitehead is a sister of Miss Virginia and Miss Douglas Whitehead of Berkeley.

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ENTERTAINS COSMOS CLUB.

Mrs. N. A. Acker was hostess this afternoon at her home in the Lakeside district, entertaining the members of the Cosmos Club. The afternoon was devoted to auction and preceding the same a dainty luncheon was served the guests.

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TO ENTERTAIN EASTERN FRIENDS.

Several Eastern guests will share the festivities New Year's eve. The host and hostess will not take part in the celebration on this side of the bay but will entertain their friends at the St. Francis Hotel across the bay, where an elaborate dinner will be served.

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IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Tuttle Clay are still in Southern California and will not return, with their little son, to the north for several weeks. The Clays have an attractive home in Fruitvale.

Woman's Right to Beauty

By LILLIAN RUSSELL

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IT does not signify because a woman is obliged to earn her own living by labor of any kind—washing, running a farm, a store, a laundry, or even street cleaning—she is not entitled to be beautiful. It is a woman's right and prerogative to be beautiful.

LILLIAN RUSSELL.
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[illegible] with an accident while riding in her motor car. Another car ran into her's, throwing her out and causing injuries which resulted in marring her facial beauty. She was given a verdict of several thousand dollars by a jury of men who were no judges of beauty, but were imbued with a sense of justice and wisdom enough to realize what an asset she had had for marring her facial contour and complexion.

A man's face need not be handsome; in fact, a plain man is more liable to succeed in business than the handsome man. But there is no question but that a woman with beauty can succeed more readily in any business undertaking, and in any walk in life, than her plain sister.

Beauty is not absolutely essential to success, but it is a great help. A beautiful woman who has no ability is absolutely useless excepting as an ornament, but a woman who has brains and ability combined with beauty can accomplish a great deal of good in this world. Life is made easier for her. When she applies for a position in any department of the business world, her face is her introduction, and she will be listened to a little sooner and more patiently than her less fortunate sisters.

Woman surely has an advantage over man, when it comes to suing for damages in a court of law. A man would be laughed at should he sue for loss of his beauty, while a woman would be seriously considered and, as has been proven, receive a generous verdict.

Men will tell you that women are expected to be beautiful, and any injury to their beauty is an injury to their progress and to their happiness.

Remember: It is the duty of every woman to cultivate beauty in her children. It is the giving them passports to success.

Lillian Russell

Answers to Queries

G. E. W.—Dark circles under the eyes are usually caused from some internal disorder, but sometimes they are caused from eyestrain or lack of sleep and they are sometimes hereditary, although this is not often the case. If you are in perfect health the cause does not come from some internal cause. Do you strain your eyes reading by a dim light? Do you get enough sleep? If your eyes are strained don't attempt to read on the cars or in a poor light. Each morning wash your eyes with a good eye wash and at night before retiring bathe the eyes with cold water and rub gently underneath them with the tips of the fingers, being careful that you do not touch the eyeball so as to injure it in any way. Rub skin food gently under the eyes. This is beneficial and will help fill in the hollows. If you care for it and will send me a stamped, addressed envelope I shall gladly send you a formula for an eye wash and exercises for the eyes, also a formula for a stronger neck bleach.

P. E. T.—Basketball is a splendid exercise and is good for developing the neck and shoulders. Massage your neck with olive oil. This will help fill out the hollows. A girl fond of athletic games should not be sallow. Do you get enough fresh air? Basketball should be played outdoors and not in a room where it is close and dusty, where your lungs will get filled with dust. Get into the winter sports. Skating is an excellent exercise. If you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope I shall send you a formula for a hair tonic which will remove dandruff. The following is a good remedy for removing warts and corns: Twenty grains salicylic acid, one-eighth ounce alcohol, one ounce flexible collodion. Mix and apply to either wart or corn for three nights, then soak in hot water. Continue this treatment until wart or corn has disappeared.

When Love Begins to Cool

By DORIS BLAKE.

The heartbroken wails that reach me daily from girls when the love of the man to whom they are engaged shows signs of cooling:

"What can they do?" "What shall they do to revive the dying flame?"

There is nothing so hopeless to my mind as trying to coax a fickle lover back to his old fever heat of lovemaking. The more effort a girl makes to revive the dead love the "deader" the love.

There is just as much sense in making the attempt as in trying to start a dead fire with the old matches that did duty for the first hot blaze. Every furnace tender knows that the only way to get results is to begin all over again with new materials.

It is because girls can not or will not see this that so many needless tears are shed and so many fruitless wiles exerted.

Of course, I will admit "it's easy to talk" if your heart strings are not pulling in the opposite direction to the sane dictates of the head.

But pride should come to a girl's rescue in such a crisis in her life. The man who has not constancy enough to stick to the girl he has asked to marry him is not going to get more in love by swearing to the marriage vows.

It is infinitely easier to make the wrench, therefore, when you can pull out with self-respect, though with a wounded heart, than to face the prospect of being an unloved wife and realize it is your own fault. If you find it hard now to watch the growing difference of the man you love, what will it be when he begins to chafe under the matrimonial bonds?

Don't let your heart outweigh your pride and continue to "cling" after a man has grown tired of you. The only hope for the girl whose lover has begun to cool off is to let him go. There is just the possibility that the surprise of finding the girl is not the "sure thing" he thought her may fan the dying flame. And should the recreant lover not regain his old ardor with his sense of loss it is still the wisest course for his lady love.

MUSIC OR MARRIAGE?

"Dear Miss Blake: I am 20 and am engaged to a young man [illegible] He is holding a position which commands a good salary and has money in the bank. He has absolutely no bad habits and is of a good family, but my parents object with the view that I must devote myself to music indefinitely and without thought of marriage. We do not desire to be united in marriage immediately, but are willing to wait a year or so, each growing better prepared to take up life together. Am I wrong in preferring a good husband, home, and children to the lonely life of a musical career?

"Betty."

If you feel sure that you love the young man truly you would not be so happy devoting your life to music as you would be if you were married happily.

OVERHEARD GOSSIP.

"Dear Miss Blake: I wish you would tell me what to do. I am a girl of 18 and last year when we moved to this town I started going to a new college. Mother said it was always best not to make friends too quickly, so it was three months before I had more than a 'nodding' acquaintance with any one. Then there was a school party and the president of our class asked me to go with him. It was a week off, so both mother and father had a chance to meet him, and they said I might. I had a very pleasant time, and after that some way I began to see quite a lot of the boys, especially this first one. He is fond of the same things I like—tennis, horseback riding, and golf—especially tennis, which he wanted to play on every possible occasion until I got dead sick of it and told him so. But on the whole I was having a very good time, and mother and father were pleased that I had such pleasant friends. Then came a sort of an awakening when I overheard three of the college girls in the library saying that they didn't see what a boy could see in me—that I was too stiff and stuck up to live; that I must have done some running to get away from —— (another girl I really admire very much); and that he must like to play tennis a million times a week with some one that didn't know a thing about it, and that they didn't think I was so pretty after all! I don't know what you think of that, but I haven't been happy a day since. I told mother every word they said, and of course she petted me up the way mothers always do; but it doesn't do any good. I actually hate the sight of the boys I enjoyed so much before, and I can't help letting them see it. I feel hurt toward those girls and suspicious of the rest. If we could move away from the place entirely I would be glad, but of course that isn't possible. Most of all I hate to bother mother with my little, petty troubles.

"GRACE."

I think that you are a little oversensitive. I realize how disillusonng it must have been for you to hear the girls talk as they did. But it really wasn't the fault of the young men who had been attentive to you, and you were hasty in treating them unkindly on account of the unkind things that the girls said: Act as though you had never overheard their malicious gossip. Don't take any of those girls for your particular friends, and if the boys inquire about your coldness, tell them frankly what caused it. Don't allow yourself to be unhappy over the things that come into every schoolgirl's life. There are always hateful girls who will say unkind things about their school fellows. Pay no attention to them.

SHE GOES TO DANCES.

"Dear Miss Blake: I am going with a girl 16 and I am 18 myself, and she goes to dances and I object to that very much, because I am a church member and I love her very much and I do not want to give her up I think she loves me, but she thinks more of dances than she does me. Had I better quit going with her?

"I. E."

If you feel that she is doing something unforgiveable by going to dances, I am afraid that you will have to give her up, because you have no right to tell her what she shall do and what she shall not do, since she isn't engaged to you.

LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL.

"Dear Miss Blake: I am a girl of 17. This is my last year in high school. There are many boys in my class who think a great deal of me, but I care to have nothing to do with them. How can I keep from having anything to do with them?

"D. M. L."

Don't accept their invitations. They will soon stop paying any attention to you.

TOO YOUNG TO GO WITH BOYS.

"Dear Miss Blake: I am 15. I go with a boy about my age. Do you think I am too young to go with boys? Is it improper to kiss him good-night, as I always do? Would it be all right for us to exchange pictures? I am dead in love with him and [illegible] He always says he thinks the world of me. I have been going with him about three months.

"PUZZLED."

Yes, at 15 you are decidedly too young to be receiving attentions from boys. You mustn't kiss him, Puzzled. There is only one man who has a right to your kisses, and that is the man that you marry. Boys respect girls more if they do not allow such familiarities. Be very careful about giving your picture to boys. I think that you had better have no more to do with any one until you are older.

"EYES BRIM OVER WITH LOVE."

"Dear Miss Blake: We are two girl chums seeking helpful information. We are very dear friends and we go with two fellows who are also good friends. We are very good looking and attractive. We have grand brown eyes, which brim over with love and merriment. All the fellows are crazy about us, but we only care for the ones with whom we are going. Now, our question is, Is it right for girls of 16, for that is our age, who are studying hard in school to go out nights with their fellows? Our parents let us go out once or twice a week, but we could have dates for almost every night. There are several girls in town who are trying very hard to get these fellows. We are afraid they will get them. Please tell us what we can do to stop them, for we like these boys very much, and although they have never spoken about marriage, we think when we have finished high school that they will propose to us. Is it right for the fellows to kiss us good-night? Ought a fellow be 'mushy' at all? Ought the girl to make any dates with the fellow, or should the boy make them all? We expect to see an answer to our letter soon, as we need your kind advice.

"H. and F."

Yes, you do need my advice. How I wish that I could advise all of the girls of 16 as I feel in my heart they should be advised. Unfortunately so many of them ask no advice from any one, but just go on accepting attentions from boys when they should be studying; undermining all of their future happiness by allowing familiarities that they would know better than to allow if they were a little older, and [illegible] too late that they have given up all of the joyful years of their young girlhood, the joyful years of their young girlhood. That trait you must overcome before you will ever be really loved. Attend to your school work. Accept invitations to parties where there are many boys and girls all having a good time. But do not grow sentimental over boys. Do not under any circumstances allow them to kiss you. And remember that your school work is your business in life.

Lovers, Parted Fifty Years, Wed at Last

Yuletide Bride Sweetheart of Childhood

Courtship of Half Century Ago Ends Happily

CHINCOTEAGUE, Va., Dec. 29.—As the culmination of a courtship of fifty years ago, William Knox, 626 North Fortieth street, [illegible] Elizabeth Tunnell were joined in wedlock shortly before Christmas at the home of the bride's daughter, Mrs. Alfred Phillips, of Chincoteague.

Their love began when they were children at Ocean View, Del. They had not seen each other since they parted fifty years ago and until they met by chance recently. Affection was rekindled and the wedding day set for the Yuletide. The bridegroom, who is 65 years old, is [illegible] cern. The bride is 62.

The wedding is the fourth venture of each. Following the wedding an old-time feast was spread. Many friends and relatives were present. They will reside in Camden.

SEEK TWO SISTERS WHO HAVE DISAPPEARED

The disappearance of two young women named Mrs. Nettie Waztek, aged 17, and Mrs. Ethel Welch, aged 19, was reported to the police last night by the much-worried husbands of the two. The girls are sisters and lived in Santa Cruz until they came to this city some six months ago, where they were lured, according to the story of the husbands, by the gayety and attractions of city life.

Mrs. Waztek was married last May and her sister last July. The husbands are in the employ of the United Railroads in San Francisco. They state that the girls have not appeared at their home, 1093 Filbert street, Oakland, since Saturday noon.

LADY DECIES TO VISIT IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The Lusitania brought Lady Decies, her husband, Lord Decies, and their oldest baby, Miss Eileen, to New York, recently. Lady Decies was Miss Vivien Gould, daughter of George J. Gould. They are here to spend the holiday season with Lady Decies' parents at Lakewood. They left their youngest baby, Catherine, four months old, in England.

THIRTEEN TOO MUCH; WEDDING IS POSTPONED

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—Miss Alpha Howe of Santa Ana, but now residing in this city, is not superstitious. But just the same she prefers not to have the figures 13 in anything as important as her wedding. So she has postponed her marriage with Elliott C. Howe, arranged for Christmas day in this city, to 12:01 a. m., January 1, 1914.

Howe has business interests in San Francisco and it was necessary for him to be in that city before the new year. The wedding was planned for December 25, with the expectation of being in the northern city by January 1. This was to have been the honeymoon trip.

"I can't say that I'm superstitious," Miss Howe explained, "but since it is so near 1914 I decided that I would postpone the wedding."

Howe went to San Francisco yesterday. Miss Howe obtained the consent of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. [illegible] city.

BRAVE WOMAN CAPTURES BURGLAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Through the daring of Mrs. C. Bohr of 1430 Jackson street, a negro, who gave his name as James Thompson, was arrested yesterday afternoon after an exciting chase, and locked up in the Bush street station on the charge of committing burglary in the home of Mrs. Harry Curtaz of 1426 Jackson street.

Mrs. Bohr is the landlady of the premises at 1426 Jackson street, and when she visited them yesterday afternoon she saw that the basement door was standing open. She was suspicious and called out, asking if Mrs. Curtaz was there. A man's voice answered "Yes."

Mrs. Bohr ascertained that nobody was at home at the Curtaz apartment and went down into the basement. As she did so a man ran out of another door, locking it behind him with a passkey. Mrs. Bohr ran through the house and chased the burglar up Jackson street to Hyde street, where she saw a policeman, who nabbed the man. The man had a jimmy and a pass key in his possession, as well as a football and a scarf [illegible] basement.

LADY DECIES and BABY EILEEN. —Copyright by Bain.

STORK SUMMONS ACTRESS ON STAGE

ROSEBURG, Ore., Dec. 2[illegible] Mr. Stork beckoned imperatively to Mrs. Albert Overton, a vaudeville sketch artist, while she was giving a performance here last night at a theater, and after she had whispered an aside to her opposite, who also was her husband, the pair cut their lines summarily and deeply, bringing their act to a hasty close.

Four hours after the curtain had rung down on their sketch, a doctor who had been summoned hastily to their hotel, put his head outside the door and informed Overton, waiting in the hall, that he was the father of a bouncing boy.

WALKS GIRDER AND FALLS FIFTY FEET

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—While Mrs. Florence Kaiser, 30 years old, of 648 Sixty-first street, Brooklyn, was walking along a girder of a bridge being erected across the rails of the Long Island railroad at Seventh avenue and Sixty-third street, yesterday, she lost her footing and fell fifty feet. She was [illegible] where it was said she might die.

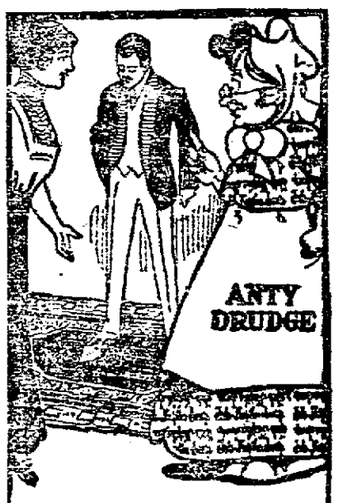
Mrs. Kaiser was returning to her home after seeing a pet Scotch collie she had sold to a friend. She was accompanied by Mrs. Mary Smith of 651 Sixty-sixth street. When the two reached the bridge Mrs. Smith refused to cross. Mrs. Kaiser had reached a point about midway when she fell.

WOMAN ASSAULTED; HOT WATER POURED ON HER

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., Dec. 29.—Gertrude Ellsworth arose in her home to go to the kitchen in her home in East Market street to make the fire for breakfast. The door was opened and a colored man entered. He grabbed her by the throat, and, hurling her to the floor, bound her hands and feet with a clothesline he had with him.

The woman screamed and her assailant threw a pot of boiling water upon her, burning her terribly. A nephew, from Ryer, hearing her screams, ran to the kitchen and the man escaped.

Young Ryer cut the rope from his aunt and carried her. The city council has offered a reward of $200 for the apprehension of the assailant.



Mrs. Thrifty—"I'm afraid you heard Harry [illegible] with me, Anty Drudge. I was just about to tell him that I didn't buy a new rug. This is our old one, cleaned with Fels-Naptha Soap. It looks so bright and new that Harry thought we had a new one."

Anty Drudge—"Well, I guess he doesn't mind the expense of that kind of a new rug, do you, Mr. Thrifty? You've got a sensible, practical little wife. You ought to appreciate her."

Don't sit down and cry over spilled milk. Fels-Naptha Soap will take out the spots. It will clean and brighten everything it touches.

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STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION BEGINS SESSION

CITY HONORS PEDAGOGUES' ASSEMBLY

Visitors From State and County Associations Gather at Ye Liberty.

Official Greetings Extended by Commercial Bodies Through H. C. Capwell.

With the official welcome of the city government and the commercial organizations of Oakland, the teachers of the bay district today gathered at Ye Liberty Theater to the first session of the great educational convention under the auspices of the State Teachers Association and including the County Teachers' Institute. The members of the association in the bay districts gathered for roll call and to hear the official welcomes extended by Mayor Mott on behalf of the city government and H. C. Capwell representing the commercial organizations of the city.

The teachers, including visitors from all parts of the state and from the east, as well as the members of the state association, gathered at the theater shortly after noon. A half hour of music, under the direction of Paul Steindorf, choragus at the State University, opened the meeting, after which George W. Frick, county superintendent of schools and president of the bay district association of educators, took the chair.

MAYOR MOTT'S ADDRESS.

Mayor Mott then extended the official welcome of the city. He said:

"Mr. President and members of the California State Teachers' Association:

"With a sense of much more than official interest, I appear here this afternoon to give this assemblage heartiest of welcomes to Oakland. It is with high personal regard for this organization, representing as it does the public educational system of California, that I give to you my greetings. As Mayor of Oakland it is my pleasant duty to present to you the freedom of the city and to assure you that we are honored by your presence among us. As citizen, I add my tribute of respect, with assurance of my deep appreciation of the invitation which came to me to be with you today.

"The public school system of California is one of which we may without reserve, well be proud. California stands preeminently in the United States as highly advanced in public educational affairs. Our people have been generous in their treatment of the public schools. Education of the children of California by the state has been a heritage, come down to us from the men and women of the pioneer days. One of the most noteworthy phases of California's early history was the insistence of the pioneer upon the upbuilding of the public schools. It is well that this should be so. I can conceive of no more important duty devolving upon the state than the training of the young for useful citizenship. The demand today is greater than ever for [illegible] dous advance in the sciences has enforced this demand to the highest degree. But this call will be of little avail unless it shall be backed by a real patriotism, the patriotism of service for the public good.

CHILDREN FUTURE "RULERS."

"The children of today become the rulers of tomorrow. See to it now that they shall revere the past, teach them that national, that state, that city, that town, that village that all community life in this land of ours calls for service in the common weal, which combines not only agility of the trained mind and body, but a devotion to those precepts of love of country that are the fundamentals of true citizenship.

"You teachers in the public schools of California hold a most important place in the political system. Upon you is a serious responsibility. You are called upon to send forth ready for the battle the youth of this commonwealth. Well may we believe that the responsibility has been accepted and realized as we view the record of our public school organization. I would take the liberty here of impressing upon you the great importance of your work as crusaders in the struggle for civic righteousness. The germ of good citizenship is in those youthful minds that you are moulding. May I urge that you continue to inculcate your wards with those principles of civic government, which shall show them the way toward the highest ideals of public service.

"NOT ALL POLITICS."

"Tell the youth that all is not 'politics' in our civil administration. Tell them that there is a sincere desire upon the part of innumerable public men and women to give efficient service to the people. Teach the young not only the theory and principles of righteous government, but let them learn practically how government is conducted. Yourselves be familiar with the actual operation of administrative activities. Cultivate those who are in the public service, so that you may know how, when and where to show the practical side to your pupils. Do not hesitate in this for there is not one public official out of a thousand who would not gladly contribute his share in this work of helping the youth of our state along this pathway.

"The call for specialized training is growing in public life just as it has become a most important element in the world of commerce and industry. To meet this demand, we must look to the public schools. Therefore, I emphasize the need of larger development of the study of civics. The future of American national life is largely in the hands of the public school teacher of today. Let us see to it that we shall live up to the task, that we shall [illegible] sponsibility so that our beloved country shall maintain to the end of days her foremost place in the world's brotherhood of nations—examplar of righteousness, of civic liberty, justice and peace."

Following the Mayor, H. C. Capwell, who will, during the sessions of the teachers, speak on commercial education, took the stand to welcome the teachers in the name of Oakland's civic and commercial organizations. Mrs. Frederick Sanborn of the Women's Exposition Board, followed. Music closed the preliminary to the first session.

MISS SCHREIBER LECTURES.

About 2 o'clock saw the first business of the convention when Miss May E. Schreiber of Boston, Mass., arose to give the first lecture of the session. She was followed by Professor M. V. O'Shea of the University of Wisconsin, and nomination of officers, reports of committees and routine business completed the day.

Tomorrow morning at 9:30, will see the lectures resumed. The general sessions program, beginning tomorrow, will be as follows:

Tuesday, December 30, 1:30 p. m.—Ye Liberty playhouse. Half hour of music. Report of the California council of education, E. Morris Cox, president of the council. Lecture, "The Meaning of Human Development," Professor O'Shea. Lecture, "Geographic Influences in the Development of California," Professor James F. Chamberlain, Los Angeles State Normal school. Adjournment.

Wednesday, December 31, [illegible] Ye Liberty playhouse. Half hour of music. Address, "The Value of the Schools' Savings Bank," Mrs. Jessie L. Pendleton, Berkeley. Address, "Music in the Schools," Glenn Woods, Oakland high school. Lecture, "Putting the Grease Where the Squeak Is in Education," Superintendent L. R. Alderman, Portland, Oregon. Lecture, "Motion Pictures in the Schoolroom," Miss Schreiber. Adjournment.

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING.

Friday, January 2, 2:30 p. m.—Assembly Hall, Chabot Observatory. Members only are entitled to admission. Election returns; unfinished business; reports of committees, new business; installation of incoming president. Adjournment.

Alameda County Teachers' Institute—Superintendent George W. Frick, presiding. The Alameda County Teachers' Institute will meet in conjunction with the California Teachers' association, bay section, at the general sessions, Ye Liberty playhouse, 1454 Broadway, Oakland, Monday afternoon, December 29, 1913, at 1 o'clock; Tuesday, December 30, 1913, 1:30 o'clock; Wednesday, December 31, 1913, 9:30 o'clock.

ADVISORY COUNCIL.

Dr. R. G. Boone, president, University of California; Sam H. Cohn, secretary, Alameda.

Monday, December 29, 9:30 a. m.—Assembly Hall, Chabot Observatory. Industrial education report from California council of educators, A. H. Chamberlain secretary California council of education. 9:30 a. m.—"Agriculture as a High School Study," Professor O. K. Kern, University of California.

Friday, January 2, 1 p. m.—Assembly Hall, Chabot Observatory. Discussion of the retirement salary law, led by E. Morris Cox, assistant superintendent of schools, Oakland. "Relation of the State Board of Education, and Its Experts, to the Schools," A. J. Cloud, deputy superintendent of schools, San Francisco. Election of officers.

SECTION MEETINGS PLANNED.

In the meantime section meetings will be held. Tuesday will see the meeting of the high school section, at which Miss Ruth Kimball, dean of girls at the San Jose high school will tell of her work in reforming social life in the schools. The State Federation of School Women's clubs, under the direction of Mrs. Clara Partridge, president, will also be held. The music section will meet, directed by Mrs. H. E. Owen of San Jose, president. The manual arts section will meet under the direction of James Addicott of San Francisco. The home economics section will meet at the Hotel Oakland, as will the drawing section, and the ele[illegible] will meet at Chabot hall.

The section meeting will take place Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. H. N. Rowell, local club leader, will be a speaker at section meeting.

Other sections to meet will be the English section, the business section, history section, peace section, mathematics section, physics and chemistry section, peace section, classical section, agriculture section, geography section and German section.

The sessions of the teachers, in the theater, in the Hotel Oakland and in Chabot Hall, will continue until January 2. Special lectures, special sessions for [illegible] ate luncheons at which methods of teaching will be outlined, and other affairs are being planned.

ONE THOUSAND GATHERED.

Fully 1000 teachers are gathered in Oakland today for the session, and more are expected. This afternoon's registration of teachers was a very [illegible] and several important lectures will be held [illegible] the first of [illegible] sessions. Election of officers will close the sessions.

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EDUCATORS CONVENE WELCOMED BY MAYOR

MRS. H. N. ROWELL.

CO-ED TELLS OF JAPANESE INTRUSION

University Girls Terrified by a Cook in Their Apartment.

Oriental Is Arraigned on Technical Charge of Battery.

BERKELEY, Dec. 29.—U. Yamonoe, a Japanese cook employed by the Bachelordon Club, was arraigned this morning on a charge of technical battery, preferred by Miss Marcella Barringer, a freshman student of the University of California. It was Yamonoe who entered the residence of Mrs. F. W. Cleverdon Christmas night and went into the room occupied by Miss Barringer and Miss Rea Gilbert, also a university freshman. Later, when Miss Barringer saw him and screamed, he leaped through a window and when arrested the next day declared that he had entered the house by mistake while partially intoxicated.

To Judge Edgar this morning Miss Barringer told a different story. She said she was awakened Christmas morning at an early hour by the presence of some one in her room. She could see a man moving about the room but was too frightened, she declared, to make any alarm. She watched the man take off his coat and kneel down and crawl about on the floor. Then she declared he approached her bed and committed the act of which she now complains. At this point Miss Barringer declares she screamed, awakened Miss Gilbert and alarmed the intruder, who later proved to be Yamonoe.

FLEES THROUGH WINDOW.

Yamonoe sought for means of escape, caught sight of an open bathroom window across the hall and leaped head foremost through the window. He landed on the porch below with one foot through a rattan-seated chair. He shook himself free from this and ran home.

As the complaint of the intrusion was first given to the police it was believed that the man had been a burglar and that he had been frightened away by Miss Barringer's screams. In the midst of operations the police found Yamonoe's coat in the girl's room and by this identified him. The latter explained that he had been to a Christmas party the night before and had entered Mrs. Cleverdon's house, which adjoined the Bachelordon Club, by mistake.

He was released, but Miss Barringer's complaint, made this morning, caused his rearrest. Miss Barringer told Judge Edgar today a circumstantial story of the events of Christmas morning. She declared that she had watched the man in his movements about the room for at least half an hour. Thinking he was a burglar, she declared, and fearing an attack if she made a noise, she did not create any disturbance. Later, when Yamonoe approached her bed, she says she understood the first time the real motive of his intrusion and started to scream. After hearing the girl's story Judge Edgar immediately issued a warrant for Yamonoe's arrest on a charge of technical battery. The Japanese was arrested later this morning, arraigned and held on $500 bail. His case has been set for hearing tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

SLEPT THROUGH ATTACK.

Miss Barringer is a freshman student in the college of social sciences at the university. She entered college last August, registering from Hillsdale, Mich. Miss Gilbert is in the same college and the same class and comes to Berkeley from Mount Rose, Colo. Miss Gilbert was asleep throughout the alleged attack made by Yamonoe and did not awaken until Miss Barringer screamed. She is therefore able to throw no light on the alleged action of the Japanese. The following morning when the police went to investigate the supposed burglary they found upon the ground outside of the house the footsteps of a man who apparently had been barefooted. They came at once to the conclusion that the "barefoot burglar," who had committed several crimes in this city recently, had been guilty also of this one. When Yamonoe was first taken into custody he explained this fact by declaring that he had taken off his shoes when entering the Cleverdon residence. As to why he had taken them off he was equally hazy as in explaining why he entered the house at all.

HENDRICKSON CLAN SURRENDER AWAITED

Besieged Party, Seen at Mine Entrance, Vanish

(By Associated Press)

PINEVILLE, Ky., Dec. 29.—The state troops and deputy sheriffs, who [illegible] mine near Ely, where John Hendrickson and his clan are in hiding, believe the fugitives will be forced to surrender today.

Members of the besieged party were seen at various entrances of the mine early today, but disappeared in the darkness of the cave when they saw the soldiers on watch.

Adjutant General J. Tandy Ellis, who was called to Frankfort Saturday, returned today and took charge of the forces at the mine entrances.

BEGIN INQUIRY INTO TRAGEDY AT CALUMET

Coroner's Inquest On and Grand Jury Probe Booked for Tomorrow.

General Manager of Mine Exonerated of Charge of Deporting Moyer.

(By Associated Press)

CALUMET, Mich., Dec. 29.—With most of its dead buried, Calumet turned its attention to the coroner's inquest on the Christmas eve panic which cost the lives of seventy-two persons and to the Houghton grand jury investigation of the forcible ejection from the copper country of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners.

The coroner's inquest began here today and the grand jury investigation is expected to begin tomorrow at Hancock, where Moyer was assaulted and put aboard a Chicago-bound train. John R. Densmore, a solicitor for the department of labor, was expected here today to make an investigation for the government of the strike of copper miners. Before reaching here he will consult with Governor Ferris at Big Rapids.

"STATE MATTER," OPINION.

BIG RAPIDS, Mich., Dec. 29.—John R. Densmore, solicitor of the government department of labor, and George A. Nichols, special prosecutor in the copper mine strike district, conferred with Governor Ferris at his home here today concerning the strike situation.

"I am still of the opinion that there is no necessity for the federal authorities to take action in this affair," said the governor this morning. "There is a grand jury now in session at Houghton. Moyer or anybody else can go before that body and get justice. It is strictly a state matter and Michigan can handle it."

Governor Ferris received a long telegram from Sheriff Cruse at Calumet today and according to that official his investigations so far have failed to show General Manager MacNaughton had any part in the deportation from Calumet of President Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners. He was not prepared to say, however, who were the actual participants in sending the strike leader from Calumet.

"There is no occasion for impatience in the investigation of Moyer's 'kidnaping,'" Governor Ferris said. "The Houghton county grand jury will give every one an impartial hearing. It will resume its sessions today and the affair will be sifted to the bottom."

FEDERATION TAKES HAND.

HANCOCK, Mich., Dec. 29.—Immediate grand jury inquiries into the deportation of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, will be sought by the federation. O. N. Hilton of Denver, chief of counsel for the organization, arrived here today and at once went into consultation with the local leaders who have been gathering evidence as to the identity of the men who escorted the federation executive to a Chicago-bound train Friday night.

"The special grand jury which Judge O'Brien of the Circuit Court called some weeks ago is, I understand, to reconvene Tuesday," said Hilton today. "I shall ask George Nichols, the special prosecutor in charge of the strike investigations, to present our evidence to the grand jury."

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 29.—Former Congressman Victor Berger and leader of the Milwaukee Socialists, today wired the publishers of a Calumet Finnish publication, the Tyomies, that they were welcome to use the plant of the Milwaukee Socialistic newspaper until the authorities at Calumet would permit them to again issue their paper there.

The Tyomies was suppressed yesterday. It was said that the paper was keeping up the agitation against mine owners and making untrue charges against them.

APPEAL TO CONGRESS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—An appeal to Congress to investigate conditions in the copper country of Michigan was made today by the Chicago Federation of Labor, in resolutions which directly charged owners of the mines and their agents with being responsible for the tragedy of Christmas eve when seventy-two children and adults lost their lives.

The resolutions also charged the Houghton county is under a government of gunmen under orders of the mine owners and that Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, was assaulted, shot and driven out of Hancock by thugs and gunmen.

Woman Suffrage Pioneer Is Dying

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Lillian Devereaux Black, 80, a pioneer in the woman suffrage movement in this country, who is ill in an Eaglewood, N. J., sanitarium, is not expected to live through the day.

TO BE RELATIVES' CHARGE LOVE MADE HER PRISONER

Adeline Brance, who loved too well and who [illegible] for the man she adored. First picture published on the Pacific Coast.

MONTICELLO, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Relatives may take charge of and care for Adeline M. Brance, the young woman who for years was practically a prisoner in the offices of Melvin Couch, the attorney, and whose startling story was revealed when the lawyer died. Miss Brance, who was deeply in love with the man, declares that she was a willing prisoner. She is without means of support, and the entire city is shocked by her pitiful story.

Miss Brance is an accomplished linguist and an expert stenographer. For three years she was in a room adjoining the office of the attorney, and declares that she was satisfied to stay there. The case was one of the most peculiar ever to come to the attention of the authorities. Her relatives will probably take her to another city where she may start life afresh.

Cinders Still Falling From Volcanic Upheaval

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Dec. 29.—The French commissioner resident of the New Hebrides reports that it is now possible to approach Ambrim Island, where a series of volcanic upheavals recently occurred. On December 24, however, cinders were still falling and lava was streaming down the mountain sides. The commissioner also reports that in addition to many changes in the coast line, a small island has sprung up off Lip Point, on the western coast.

Kills His Wife and 3-Year-Old Daughter

(By Associated Press)

CINCINNATI, Dec. 29.—A man registering in one of this city's leading hotels as D. R. Willard, shot and killed his wife and three-year-old daughter early this morning. After committing the deed he rushed from the hostelry, but was arrested later while trying to make his way across a bridge into Kentucky. He would make no statement. The hotel register did not indicate his residence.

St. Louis League Signs Up Players

(By Associated Press)

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 29.—One player each from Chicago, New York and Pittsburg has been signed by Mordecai Brown, manager of the St. Louis Federal League team, according to announcement of President Steigner of the club today.

14 VICTIMS OF AUTOS IS LOS ANGELES' RECORD

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—Fourteen persons were in hospitals today suffering injuries sustained in a series of automobile and motorcycle accidents in Los Angeles yesterday. There were seven accidents and one [illegible] sons, aged six, who was crushed by a motor car, while trying to follow her brother, who ran across a street in front of the machine.

Of the seven accidents, three were occasioned by collisions between street cars and automobiles or motorcycles. Mrs. Charles Hamburg of Whittier, who was hurt in one of the crashes, was probably fatally injured.

CHINESE MERCHANT ENDS LIFE BY GAS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—After carefully stuffing the crevices of the door and window of his room with paper, Ong Choy, a Chinese merchant, turned on the gas last night. He was found dead in his room at 1132 Broadway early this morning. He had attached the tube to the gas jet, placing the loose end in his mouth. He hired the apartment on Christmas night and but little was known of him in the neighborhood. He was about 40 years old.

BOAT MYSTERY NOT YET SOLVED

The Richmond Police Can Get No Answer From the Suspects.

P. G. & E. Power Plant May Have Been Threatened. Surmise.

Private detectives working upon the case of the three alleged dynamiters who are held at Richmond after the discovery of a sailboat Saturday night in which was stored a large amount of explosives, have the theory that they or other men might have been connected with a plot to rob the Selby smelting works at Vallejo Junction, as a large amount of valuable concentrates was recently received there.

The smelting works usually carries from $100,000 to nearly $1,000,000 in concentrates or refined gold. The works is usually under heavy guard and watchmen for the company said this morning that they had no fear of an attack on the concern as more than usual care had recently been used in protecting it.

ANOTHER THEORY.

RICHMOND, Dec. 29.—Efforts to learn the identity of the owners of the dynamite sailboat found here Saturday night have as yet proved fruitless. Charles King, Joe Brown and H. G. Hanlon, the trio taken into custody following the finding of the craft, have maintained a discreet silence as to any connection with the boat or its contents. Not one tell-tale clew was left by the operators of the little craft.

From the motley array of explosive material found in the boat the police of this city have come to the conclusion that the men connected with it intended to blow open the Richmond Bank. The police believe that the bomb, set for 12:30 o'clock, was to have been placed under the Pacific Gas and Electric power house at 385 Tenth street. The explosion would wreck the plant and plunge the town in darkness, giving the perpetrators an opportunity to work unmolested in blowing open the bank and extracting its contents. The Maxim silencer was to have been used in case any one happened to interfere. In that event the "lookout" would quietly "pot" the unwelcome visitor and no one would be any the wiser. The gloves, it is believed, were to have been used to prevent any possible chance of leaving tell-tale finger prints behind.

The three men at present in custody have as yet refused to talk. They have been subjected to [illegible] but all deny positively any connection with the mysterious sailboat. King, according to Chief of Police Arnold, has a great likeness to a dynamiter who recently cut considerable swath in the East. Hanlon told the police that he was an employe of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

R. J. Cantrell, property man of the company, was present yesterday at the police quarters. He said that he hadn't seen Hanlon before, but that he would investigate and see if he could find his connection with the gas company, if any.

Chicago Federal Club to Have Fine Grandstand

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The Chicago Federal League Club advertised today for bids for the construction of a cement and steel grandstand, to cost $125,000. Grounds have been purchased at Sheffield avenue and Addison street, on the North Side.

Joseph Tinker, former manager of the Cincinnati Nationals, who signed a three year contract Saturday to manage the Chicago Federals, is away from Chicago, it was made known today, on a mission to obtain players for his team.

WHAT OAKLAND STORES OFFER YOU THIS WEEK

Notes From the Leading Department and Specialty Stores, Gleaned From Their Sunday Advertising in The Tribune

FRIEDMAN'S CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE commence their Semi-Annual Clearance Sale Monday.

HEESEMAN'S announce "huge reductions in prices" on Ladies' and Misses' Suits and Coats.

JACKSON FURNITURE COMPANY feature their Four-Room Outfit and special prominence is given to a sale of room-size seamless Tapestry Brussels Rugs.

KAHN'S announce a "sensational sale of stunning and seasonable Suits" and mention many special inducements to purchasers of Furs, Evening Costumes, Coats and Wraps.

MACKAY FURNITURE COMPANY are to the fore with a "January Furniture Sale for Cash" and "six floors brimful of the newest and finest kind of home furnishings at prices that will amaze."

MOSBACHER'S announce during Removal Sale "tremendous reductions on entire stock of Women's and Misses' Coats, Dresses, Waists and Lingerie."

PACIFIC CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE are having their Annual Clearance Sale with "positive reductions" on "timely, stylish, high-grade garments."

SIMMONS' emphasize their "closing out" sale of entire stock of Suits, Coats and Dresses at prices unheard of.

MONEY-BACK SMITH has an "end-of-season sale of Stein-Bloch Smart Clothes."

TAFT & PENNOYER COMPANY'S Annual Discount Sale announcement is the feature of their Sunday advertisement.

THE TOGGERY continues their Annual Clearance Sale of High-Grade Suits, Coats and Dresses at HALF PRICE AND LESS.

S. N. WOOD & CO. announce a Great Semi-Annual Clearance Sale of Women's Suits, Coats and Dresses at one-third to one-half regular prices.

BREUNER'S announce a dainty Dressing Table as a three days' special feature this week.

CAPWELL'S feature their After-Christmas Sales and specialize on their "entire stock of Suits and Coats, Afternoon and Evening Dresses at reductions that are decisive, genuine and far-reaching."

COSGRAVE'S CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE announces "last chance before [illegible]

EASTERN OUTFITTING COMPANY invites purchasers to partake of their "unusual cut price offerings" in their before "stock-taking sale."

SAN FRANCISCO ADVERTISEMENTS

D. SAMUELS announce "sensational sales" of Muslin Underwear, Linens and Housekeeping Goods, Suits, Cloaks, Dresses, Millinery and Furs.

THE M. FRIEDMAN & CO. FURNITURE HOUSE commence their "January Carpet and Rug Sale" and feature a Three-Room Outfit at a tempting price.

PRUSSIA'S have their "Half Yearly Clearance Sale" of Women's and Misses' Suits and Coats.

Jan. Clearance Sale

Have one yourself —one our "Sale" cols. Cash Sales.

You Talk to 12 Cities—250,000 Inhabitants—Through THE TRIBUNE

AUCTION SALES

J. A. MUNRO & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.

100[illegible] street, [illegible] phone Oakland 4671. Will pay highest price paid for merchandise, furniture, etc., or will sell on commission. Sales every Friday.

SPORTS

Harlem Harp Tells How He Boxes The Fighters and Fights the Boxers

FOOTBALL RESULTS
ORIGINALS, 13; ALL-VALLEJOS, 0.
BROOKLYNS, 12; YOSEMITES, 0.

Organized Baseball Magnates Tremble As Gilmore Starts for New York City

SPORTS

Tommy in Tennis Trousers Gets By the Footlights

'THEY STARTED TO CALL ME OLD WHEN I LEFT THE CRADLE'

Harlem Lightweight Gives Formula for Success in Prize Ring.

By BILLY FITZ.

TOMMY MURPHY and his tennis trousers came to Oakland yesterday and were applauded by approximately seven thousand people who crowded the Pantages Theater from lunch to cocktail time. Those who had never seen the Harlem lightweight before smote palms purely in his honor; the others applauded Murphy's pants.

Truth to tell, those Murphy leg coverings are calculated to make Maurice McLoughlin jealous. Tommy also sports tennis shoes, and a jersey. Every time he pokes little Eddie Miller in the eye, one-half expects him to cry "30 love."

There is considerable merit, however, to Tommy Murphy's act, principally due to the fact that he doesn't act, which may seem paradoxical, but isn't. Tommy gives a close imitation of Bobby McAllister trying for a knockout, and his sparring partner is therefore in no danger. Later, by way of a grand climax, Tommy and Tommy's trousers advance to the footlights and make a speech. Tommy tells the audience that he meets Willie Ritchie, January 23, and that he intends to try and beat him. The audience vociferously seconds the motion, and Tommy retreats in good order, with the orchestra working at top speed.

PLENTY OF ADMIRERS.

Down in the dressing rooms, where equality is the watch word and convention gets a kick in shins, Tommy Murphy seems to enjoy himself quite as much as he does when beating a tattoo on the countenance of Moose Taussig's good little bantam. The Hebrew impersonator, the lady who sings about "beans," and even Alex Pantages himself, helped us in the interview.

"Ever do it before?" asked we.

"Couple of times," said Tommy. "It's lots of fun, but I don't score any knockouts, y'understand."

"You got the popular decision tonight," we ventured, and "Miss Beans" chipped in with "Tommy, you're all to the pen and ink." We didn't get the lady until she asked us what we usually do with pen and ink. This stage language keeps a fellow's dust pan working over time.

Somebody was careless enough to say to Murphy: "Hello, old chap," and right then and there the interview started:

"Say," sang the Harp, "if there's one word in the dictionary for which I haven't any use, it's that fool word 'old.' Where do you get that stuff? They've been calling me 'old' ever since I got my first tooth and graduated from the nursery. By the time I wore knee pants my friends were wondering what dye I used to keep the gray hair from showing, and now people write to me and ask if it was me or my son who fought in the battle of Bunker Hill. Every fight I started in since I can remember, the wise guys said 'Age will tell,' and when I won, the papers would come out and say 'Ain't he a wonder?'"

Tommy's Killarney countenance finally beamed through the storm and the humor of it all made us join him in the laugh.

WHY HE'S YOUNG.

"Why, I'm not full grown yet," expostulated the hero of 100 battles. "I'm in my 20s, just like all these other chaps. I've been boxing lots longer than they have perhaps, but there's no disadvantage in that to a chap who fights like I do, and lives as clean a life."

Tommy thought a minute before he continued: "If I had been a slugger, my ring career would have been over long before now. You never heard of a slugger who lasted more than three years, and most of them never last that long. Chaps like Nelson and Wolgast fight themselves out quickly. They only have one style of fighting and that usually calls for a give and take beating which exhausts their vitality and never permits them to 'come back' once they have been started on the down grade.

"All through my ring career, I've never faced a man in the ring without figuring that my brains represented an asset just as valuable to me as my endurance, skill and strength. There is more opportunity to use your head in a ring than most people think. A lot of fans say I'm a good ring general, and yet, if you pressed them for an explanation, they probably wouldn't be able to tell you what ring generalship consisted of. I'll tell you this much, though:

"I've never fought a fighter in my life and I've never boxed a boxer. In other words, when I got up against a boxer, I've fought him; and when I faced a fighter I just boxed him. In that way I have an advantage over my opponent that the average fan never figures on, and which has brought me home the winner many times when I was a despised short ender in the betting."

Of course, someone had to ask him what he thought of his chances against Willie Ritchie, the world's champion.

"Ritchie is a boxer of the type of Frankie Burns," was the reply. "In fact, I think Burns can hit harder than Ritchie."

This would indicate that the little Harlem wonder is not losing very much sleep over the engagement scheduled for January 23.

A FEW MORAN YARNS.

"Why don't you make a longer speech, Tommy," we asked.

"What's the use?" he returned. "People don't want to hear me talk, but say, I'd like to be able to tell stories like Owen Moran. Believe me, that little Englishman's got a classy line. You ought to hear him tell the story of a scrap over at the London Sportsman's club where he was seconding a little bantam one night.

"Owen's fighter wasn't very experienced in the ring, and Owen kept coaching him from his corner. Every time the other fellow would let loose with a swing Owen would holler 'duck' and the bantam would obey instructions. Moran kept yelling 'duck' every second and his fighter kept ducking until he ducked so low that he slammed his opponent below the belt. Three times the little bantam hit low and the referee's cry of 'foul' mingled with Moran's cry of 'duck.'

"The bell signaled the end of the round and Moran's bantam came to his corner in disgust: 'Tolke me gloves hoff,' he cried, 'I cawnt hear a bloomin' thing else than 'foul' and 'duck,' it must be a bloody powltry yard!'

"Yes," laughed Murphy, "Owen's a funny chap. He told us of an English lord who once approached a stylishly dressed nobleman and asked him for a shilling. The request was denied, whereupon the man asked for a threepence, and then a 'copper' and finally a farthing. Each time, with growing impatience, the stylish one refused. Finally he said, say, guv'nor, you wouldn't give me even the correct tolme, wud ye?"

[illegible] might be able to tell a few varns [illegible] said Murphy, "for instance, [illegible] were the two chaps who came over [illegible] training camp the week I [illegible] at the Pantages house in San [illegible]. I gave them a couple of [illegible] stairs in the front row, and [illegible] back to the box office and got [illegible] exchanged for the gallery, explaining afterward that they 'didn't [illegible] get used to such accommodations.'"

[illegible] we shook hands and left [illegible] tennis trousers and the [illegible] and "Miss [illegible]

TOMMY MURPHY, WHO IS NOT AS OLD AS THEY THINK

Breezy Bits by "Billy Fitz"

REALLY, NOW!

The public having known for nearly a year that Maurice McLoughlin was the best tennis player in the United States, the National Tennis association's decision last week to the same effect was received with great interest.

The closer the fighting comes to Juarez the faster the track time. If they ever start anything around the home stretch look out for some world's records.

HONUS, WHERE ART THOU?

Last season, just about this time,
We told in prose and then in rhyme
The rosy future of our team.
It was a gallant, gorgeous dream.
Alas, how different is it now,
For you'll remember surely how
We pictured Mitze sixty ways,
And told of all his mighty plays;
He could have had the mayor's job—
But that was long ago, poor zob—
Times surely change, and by the way,
Where IS the boss of yesterday?

The absolute silence maintained by the Oakland club management concerning their efforts to tie the can to Mitze merely shows they have no conception of the real value of publicity.

Unless Leavitt hires a second baseman d—n quick we shall begin to suspect he has designs on the job himself.

The Oaks are after a young navy infielder named Willie Dion, which prompts us to pull a few more tail feathers out of Pegasus. Hold tight:

SIT TIGHT, PLEASE.

O Mr. Devlin, kind and true,
Tell us of Willie Dion,
Please, tell us pray
Where will he play?
And what base Willie Dien?

Pelkey says he has discovered a way of making Gunboat Smith stand still long enough to be hit. He will stand on the Gunner's feet.

Nobody outside of Pennsylvania knew anything about Tener until he rose from the governorship of the State to the presidency of a baseball league. Now every paper in the country runs his picture and uses his name once every day and twice on Sundays. We cannot help wondering what would have happened had Roosevelt got the job.

SCOTLAND VS. JERUSALEM.

When Robert McAllister meets Battling Levinsky in New York, the shades of Wallace will be in one corner and that of Father Abraham in the other.

We are frankly puzzled, though, when it comes to guessing how two men with such names could ever agree on the division of a purse.

WILLIE WASTING TIME.

Willie Ritchie is disgusted with the fight game. He has just been reading of that $40,000 offer made to Joe Tinker.

Judging from recent bidding in the big league, ball players will soon become as expensive as fresh eggs.

The Cincinnati club's board of directors call themselves the "Cincinnati Exhibition Company." Judging from the Tinker episode no company was ever better named.

Since Joe Tinker and Mordecai Brown have signed we know that the Federals have at least two ball teams even if one of them has only three fingers.

O, YOU FEDERAL RAG!
(Sung by Joe Tinker.)

You made me love you,
And I didn't want to do it,
I didn't want to do it.
You touched my weak spot
And all the time you knew it
I didn't think you'd do it:
You told me if I'd only jump
You'd pay my wages in one lump—
You made me love you-oo!

ROHAN THINKS DUNDEE IS DANGEROUS MAN

Johnny Dundee is a busy boy in the East, but he is willing to come West any time and box Joe Rivers, he says. He has five matches in the South and East. He starts the new year off boxing Freddie Welsh at New Orleans. Then he books Knockout Mars, Kayo Brown and Young Shugrue in the order named, and Billy Griffiths again.

Manager Montieth is anxious to bring his boy to the Coast again and will agree to any reasonable terms for a match.

[illegible] promoters is anxious to send Joe Azevedo up against Dundee again. He thinks Dundee is the man who is most likely to beat Willie Ritchie if the latter will make any sort of reasonable weight.

"Dundee has the most baffling style of any lightweight in the game," said Rohan. "He is young, strong and has his best years ahead of him. Azevedo did mighty well to hold him to an eye-lash decision, and I think could do better were they to meet again."

ELEVEN OAKS HAVE SIGNED UP

Eleven Oaks have signed their 1914 contracts, according to an announcement from headquarters this morning. The men are Devlin, Cook, Nesa, Kluday, Pruitt, Helling, Kavier, Atkes, Alexander and Zacher. Among those who have not signed yet are Bert Coy, Art Guest, Rube Gardner, Buck O'Brien, Tyler Christian and Bill Malarkey.

The men were not signed up so much to protect the club from the Federal league as to guard against a repetition of what happened last year, when contracts were not tendered until the season was about to open, and most of the players had been thinking all winter over what they were worth.

THE PRIZE PUGILISTIC ALIBI

"Battling Joe" Crumb, one of the host of swat artists who travel under the protecting wing of Jimmy Rohan, believes he is entitled to the alibi prize. The chap with the broken bread name looks with contempt upon such excuses as nasal ulcers, broken ulna bones, dislocated ribs and the os magnus made famous by better known fighters.

"Take it from me," said Crumb, "them guys all faked it. But say, I could a-killed Kid Zachariee de last time we tangled if it hadn't been for me tights bein' too big. Now I asks you man ter man, how kin a guy fight when he has ter hold his pants up with his maulies, or lose 'em, with 5,000 guys, including the police, lookin' right at ye? I says it can't be did! Wen I lowers me mitts it wasn't because I was tired; I was trying to keep me clothes from falling off. Dat's de reason I got licked. Gimme a tight pair o' pants and I'll whale dat same guy so's his own mother won't know him."

Rohan has rematched the pair for January 13.

OAKLAND 'ORIGINALS' WIN 13-0; CLAIM TITLE NOW

Captain Bruzzone's Men Show Class on Berkeley Gridiron.

The Oakland Originals demonstrated yesterday their right to be called state champions, when they walloped the All-Vallejo eleven 13-0 at the Dwight Way grounds, Berkeley, before an enthusiastic crowd.

From the start of the whistle the Originals went right after their rivals and on a pretty end run by Captain Bruzzone brought the ball to the Vallejos' 30-yard line. A few minutes later Kiser ran around the other end for a touch down and later kicked the goal, making the score 7 to 0.

After this score by the Originals their rivals seemed to lose heart and were completely outclassed. Kiser again proved that he is the "Brickley of the Pacific Coast" by kicking a field goal from the 35-yard line, making the score 10 to 0. Hampton made a pretty 40-yard run from a kickoff, but no further scoring was done in this quarter.

When the whistle blew for the third quarter the Vallejo team came on the field with a vengeance and tried many forward passes, but were not as successful as their faster opponents. The navy yard boys put in new men continually to try and stop the Originals, but to no avail. In the last quarter the ball was worked to the Vallejo's ten-yard line, where Incel booted it over for a goal, making the score 13 to 0.

The work of the line of the victors was wonderful, each man playing his position and the team working like a clock. Hampton played his usual game, also the backs, who went through the lines for big gains. In the second half the backfield practically played without the services of Kiser, as the result of a sprained ankle. The crack ends and guards of the victors trapped their opponents on almost every play that was tried. Guard Steinbach was effective at breaking through and blocking punts.

For the Vallejo team Coleman at half and Schaefer at guard played a wonderful game. The Vallejo team tried hard, but were outclassed.

Referee Pete Smith umpired his usual good game. The lineup:

All Vallejo—Fielder, right end; Smithson, right tackle; Dookstader, A. Kaufman, back guard; Kavanaugh, center; Schaefer, left guard; R. Kaufman, left tackle; Tisch, left end; Blanco, quarter; Brunemann, left half; Wahoo, full; Hill, right half.

Originals—Guisto, right end; Hampton, right tackle; Schaufeld, back guord; Brown, center; Steinbach, left guard; E. Bruzzone, left tackle; Sauer, left end; Moir, quarter; D. Bruzzone, left half; Incell, full; Kiser, right half.

Referee—Pete Smith.

HORSEMEN DELIGHTED AT SITUATION IN COLORADO

State Board and Pari-Mutuels Insure Sport Conducted in Proper Basis.

Horsemen all over the United States, both thoroughbred and trotting horse followers, are rejoicing over the recent establishment of the State Racing Commission in Colorado and the legalization of the pari-mutuel form of betting in the State.

At Denver on Dec. 3, Gov. Ammons appointed a State Racing Commission, composed of J. A. Burnett of Denver, Dr. A. P. Drew of Grand Junction, J. L. Beaman of Pueblo, D. L. Silver of Lamar and M. J. Dunleavy of Denver.

These appointments were in fulfillment of the bill passed by the Legislature in Colorado. The commission will formulate rules and regulations for all races, in addition to issuing licenses. It also has the power to revoke any racing license upon cause. The racing bill has been framed to permit meetings only between the months of April and December, with the pari-mutuel form of betting in vogue at all meetings. The commissioners are appointed for one, two, three, four and five years each, and will serve without pay. They are permitted to appoint a secretary at an annual salary of $200.

Coincident with the appointment of this committee comes the welcome announcement that a syndicate of Butte, Mont., horsemen is arranging to construct a $1,000,000 race course at Lakeside, a suburb of Denver, and has been assured the hearty co-operation of the State Racing Commission in the venture.

COLORADO HAD STORMY PERIOD.

Old Overland Park, at Denver, was formerly a great rendezvous for both the running and trotting horsemen, but Colorado, like many another State, went through a stormy period so far as racing was concerned, and it looked as though her people would never again have the pleasure of seeing the horses perform anywhere in the State. But Colorado, which is nothing if not progressive, has taken her place with a number of up-to-the minute sister states, like Kentucky, Maryland, Montana, South Carolina and others, and has at last legalized racing and formed the State Racing Commission.

This insures clean sport, protection for the public and horsemen as well, and undoubtedly will boom property and business interests throughout the entire State.

It is a matter of the deepest regret that a dozen other States, whose people love horse racing, cannot legalize the sport also.

Rivals Taper Down To Fighting Weight

ARTHUR PELKY

GUNNER TIPS SCALES AT 180, TWENTY POUNDS LESS THAN PELKEY

Last Glove Practice Over This Afternoon; Rest Now Until Call for Ring.

By THE TIMEKEEPER.

THE camps of "Gunboat" Smith and Arthur Pelkey have ceased. This afternoon Smith did his final turn, boxing several rounds for the benefit of the members of the Olympic Club. In the Pelkey camp, boxing culminated yesterday, and Arthur will rest quietly until the battle Thursday afternoon. From appearances both men are in the best of condition. Smith is confident that he will win via the K. O. route, while Pelkey is just as confident that he will be declared the victor over the same course. For the first time since he went into training, Smith opened up on his sparring partners yesterday, and in the rounds that he boxed, he brought blood several times with staggering punches to the face. Smith did not attempt to put his camp men out, backing away after each hard blow to give them a chance to recuperate.

Smith today tipped the scale at 180 pounds. This is the same weight that the "Gunner" fought at when he took a decision away from Jess Willard. Willard tipped the beam some forty pounds heavier. Although Pelkey will not have such a large weight handicap he will be an exact twenty pounds more than Smith. In other words he will enter the ring within a very close proximity to the 200 pound mark. It was at this weight that Pelkey shot over the blow which ended the fatal McCarthy battle in Calgary, Canada. Pelkey boxed eight rounds yesterday. Montana Dan Sullivan took four of these and the other four went to Charlie Horn. Burns instructed his big protege to let go on Horn the last two rounds of the afternoon's entertainment. Pelkey kept Horn on the jump, alright but he didn't display much.

There was a big crowd at both camps yesterday. Supporters of both men are very timid in backing their convictions with real coin, and although Smith still continues a 10 to 8 favorite, there has been practically no betting.

Arthur Pelkey and James J. Griffin, who will be the third man in the ring Thursday talked over the rules yesterday. "Don't get rattled if Smith yells foul," admonished Pelkey. Griffin said that he wouldn't. Smith did this during his match with Carl Morris in New York, and he had referee slightly off. Otherwise Pelkey said he was satisfied and knew he would get a square deal.

The sale of reserved seat pasteboard

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DONALD BACKS A NEW WEIGHT LIMIT

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—Dick Donald, manaager of Bud Anderson, when asked what weight he would allow Bud to make for Joe Rivers in case Bud whipped Cross, quickly replied:

"The lightweight limit. The new lightweight limit is 133 pounds. No one is making 133 pounds any more, and why should I let Bud make it for Rivers. Everybody knows that Bud is a big boy, and I myself admit this. I can't see why Anderson should be forced to make 133 pounds when Ritchie, Cross, Rivers, Murphy, Britton and the rest are boxing at 135 pounds. If Joe Levy holds out for 133 pounds I guess Bud Anderson will never box Rivers. That is all there is to it."

Anderson is confident that he will beat Cross on the afternoon of New Year's day, and many of Anderson's friends are betting on him.

GEORGE PARKER IS UNABLE TO RUN

WELLINGTON, N. Z., Dec. 28.—The big international athletic meet which was started here yesterday was completed today. The team from the United States made a good showing in the various events in which the Americans competed, but an unfortunate accident to George Parker, the California sprinter, has cast a gloom over the visitors.

In the 120-yard race Parker, in endeavoring to avoid running into the fence at the finish, pulled up too short and strained a tendon in his thigh and had to be assisted from the field. The injury will probably prevent him from competing for the balance of the tour, as Eustace M. Peixotto, manager of the team, says that it will be at least three weeks before Parker is able to run again.

Parker won his race in 11.3-5 seconds, a strong wind being behind the sprinters.

SCOTS BEAT ENGLAND; THEY'RE 'A GUID LADS'

Annual International Soccer Game Captured by Thistle Crew

The annual soccer battle between Scotland and England, which appropriately was refereed by a Welshman, showed that the two teams had lost none of their zest for the encounter. Neither had the fans and the turnstiles clicked merrily for an hour preceding the game. Scotland's 2-1 win was a fair criterion of the run of play.

Enthusiasm ruled high and the crowd shouted words of encouragement or rebuke dear to the hearts of football spectators on both sides of the Tweed. "Beastly shot," shouted an English supporter, as one of his favorites played a fluky ball. "Guid lad, Jamie, come again," yelled a Scot by way of approval as one of the thistle team "dribbled" past the English defense. And to tell the truth, the Scottish team were "a guid lads" so far as play went. A fine understanding between the forwards and half-backs and a dashing front rank of the Scottish team was met on England's part by a sturdy defense and a strong attack on the left wing.

The following teams were lined up by Referee J. Chown:

Scotland—MacFarlane, Ewen, Patterson, McKiernon, Towns (captain), Adamson, Haley, Duncanson, Aiken, Duncan and Scott.

England—Davis, James and Dyke; Swain, Perkins and Haywood; Bowskill, Fallows, Seamore, Balmain and Pike.

England's left wing early kept the Scottish defense jumping lively and this was all along the strongest section of the English team while Scotland displayed much better combination work. The slippery nature of the ground was responsible for wild kicking at times. England took the lead early in the game as the result of pretty play on the left wing. Pike at outside left passee into goalmouth. Seamore, England's clever center, was lying handy and taking up the pass netted the ball from two yards range, McFarlane making an ineffectual effort to save. Scotland's retaliation was sensational. Forcing the pace from the kickoff, they equalized within two minutes through a perfectly taken goal shot by Duncan. England's forwards at this period were a dangerous lot, Balmain and Pike being a nippy pair and proving a big handful for the Scottish defense. But penetrate the defense they could not, and Scotland was back again peppering Davis, England's custodian, with well-directed shots, which almost found the net time and again. Aitken at center played a brilliant game for Scotland and his shooting was marked by wonderful accuracy. On one occasion he sent the ball into goal but offside nullified the [illegible]

At this period Scotland was good for a goal, but luck was against them at the last moment. Perkins was strong at center half-back for England and one of the best men on their side. So far the English right wing had done little, but the left wing did their best to atone for this weakness. A slip by Ewen, the Scottish left back, enabled Balmain to get well placed, but he did not follow up his advantage. The all-round good football of Scotland was a revelation and were rarely at fault in passing and shooting, although their work in front of goal was marked by occasional wild kicking. Pike, Balmain and Seamore were England's best forwards. Half time found the game [illegible]

raging in midfield with the score 1-1.

England came away in great style in the latter part of the second half and showed more of their true form. They swarmed round the Scottish goal and McFarlane, the custodian, was tested to his utmost to clear his charge, punting, kicking and scrambling on all fours, but his saving abilities were equal to the occasion. The English right wingers also gave a more creditable display in this half, Bawskill and Swain making frequent inroads, although they found no easy task to get past Duncan and McKelrnon. Scotland's second and winning goal came from Aitken's foot. The Scottish center forward took a perfect running kick and scored after fifteen minutes of the second half. The game warmed up considerably after this and both teams "put in their best licks." In a rush up the field Duncan almost scored again for Scotland and the English goal was bombarded by the whole Scottish vanguard. The first corner fell to England, but they did not improve on it. The closing minutes saw the English forwards trying desperately to draw level, but they did not meet with success and the game finished 2-1 in favor of Scotland.

Alameda and San Francisco soccer teams engaged in a spirited match before the international event, Alameda winning 3-1.

GILMORE GOES TO NEW YORK TO START FEDS THERE

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. — News that President Gilmore of the Federal League was on his way to this city seems to bear out recent statements that the league is about to make an entry into New York. Several men of prominence in local sporting circles are connected with the reports.

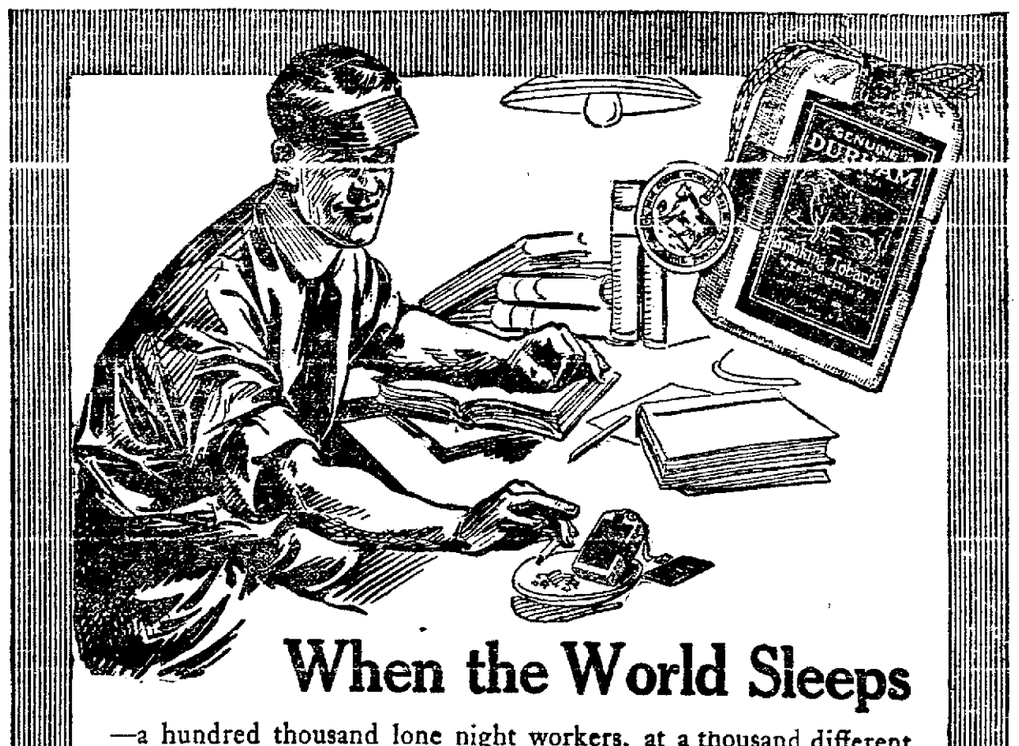
The question of obtaining an available field proved a serious setback to the American league when it made its successful fight ten years ago to put a club in Manhattan and would undoubtedly be the same with the Federal league. There is a chance, however, that the Federals may obtain American League park, given up by the Yankees at the close of the 1912 season. The field, which has been idle for a year, has been mentioned in the rumors.

Jess and Edward McMahon, who have been conducting semi-professional [illegible] at Olympic field for several years, were mentioned yesterday in connection with the proposed club here. When asked last night if there was anything in the report Jess McMahon said:

"This is all news to us, although we knew that the Federals had been looking with longing eyes toward New York. Our friendship with John McGraw and Frank Farrell would not permit us to have a hand in the local outlaw club."

TENER PROMISES ACTION.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 29. — "The National league will protect its interests," replied Governor John K. Tener, president of the National league, when asked last night what he intended to do in the Tinker case.



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PURDUE PIGSKIN STAR WINS BELATED PRAISE

Football Hero of Middle West Gets Recognition After Thirteen Years.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—What appears to be a record field goal kicking feat has been uncovered in the Middle West after thirteen years omission from gridiron chronicles. According to this statement, the five goals kicked by Brickley, Trafford and Eckersall do not constitute the best performance since Robertson, Purdue's great place kicker, set a record for field goals in 1900 which neither Brickley nor any other of the famous kickers has ever equalled.

In the Purdue-Rose Poly football game of Oct. 27, 1900, Robertson kicked seven goals from the field on place kicks, out of twelve attempts. The score of the game was: Purdue 42, Rose Poly 7. Robertson's feat had been forgotten at Purdue until Athletic Director Hugh Nicol received a letter from Lake Forest College enclosing an excerpt from a news item in "The Stentor," the Lake Forest college publication of October 31, 1900.

This item read: "Purdue won a remarkable game of football from Rose Poly last Saturday, when Robertson, of Purdue, kicked seven goals from the field on place kicks. The longest of the seven out of twelve attempts was from the 45-yard line. This is undoubtedly a record that will stand for some time." The prediction has been realized, for the record certainly has stood for a long time and probably will stand for a much longer period. Robertson was the greatest place kicker the middle west ever produced. He was killed in the Purdue railroad wreck of October 31, 1903.

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The Washington and Jefferson College weekly is piqued as a result of the rating generally accorded the 'varsity football team this season. The editor fixes the status of the eleven as follows: "And so we refuse to make any estimate of our own standing. We believe W. & J. has the greatest team in the country. We believe our team could beat Harvard, that it did beat Yale—practically—and that it should not be ranked below Chicago or anybody else. As for individual stars, we have about fourteen that we are very well satisfied with, and the dopesters can take them or leave them, just as they choose, without ruffling our dispositions half as much as do the thoughts of the approaching exams."

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The difficulties under which football was played in the early days of the sport is well illustrated by a story told by Judge Charles Remster at the recent banquet to the Purdue eleven. In telling of the outfitting of the first Old Gold and Black team he said: "We had no store in Lafayette that carried football togs, so we got a little German tailor to measure all the boys and make suits for them. He made the uniforms out of bedticking, without padding and skin tight. When we appeared on the field to play Butler, they protested, because they said we had greased that bedticking in the hope they would be unable to hold us when they tackled. That was not true and after ten minutes' parleying, the protest was disallowed."

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The annual meeting of the National Collegiate Athletic Association to be held in New York tomorrow will be devoted to the discussion of college athletics from different viewpoints. Dr. Endicott Peabody, of Gordon School, will speak on [illegible] Dr. Naysmith will take basketball as his subject; Dr. Ehler, of the University of Wisconsin, will speak on college track athletics, and Dr. E. H. Nichols, of Harvard, and Dr. Young, Cornell, will both discuss "Summer Baseball."

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The University of Montana is considering a plan to hold a dual boxing and wrestling meet with Montana State College next spring.

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Yale leads in the number of players selected by Walter Camp for his All-American football teams during the past twenty-four years. During that period Yale has placed 79; Harvard, 58; Princeton, 49; Pennsylvania, 34; West Point, 6; Michigan, 6; Chicago, 5; Dartmouth, 5; Carlisle, 4; Brown, 4; Cornell, 3; Columbia, 3; Annapolis, 2; Minnesota, 2, and Amherst, Pennsylvania State, Syracuse and Wisconsin, one each.

The University of Washington navy has ordered two 62-foot eight-oared racing shells for the use of the 1914 varsity crew. The shells which will ready in March, are to be built for a crew averaging 170 pounds, and the builders predict that one of the two will finish first in the Intercollegiate Regatta on the Hudson next June. The funds for the shells were provided by the Seattle Commercial Club.

Charles M. Schwab and Eugene G. Grace have each announced their intention of contributing a section to the new Lehigh University stadium.

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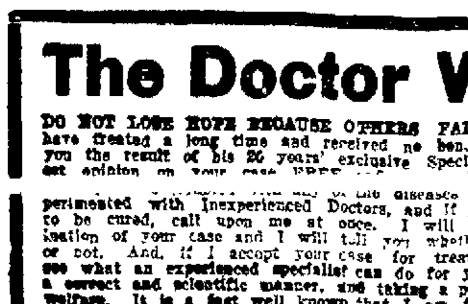
Cornell won permanent possession of the intercollegiate cross-country championship cup by winning the intercollegiate race at New York City November 22. The peculiar feature of the win was that Cornell athletic authorities were not aware of the fact until several weeks later. Of the fifteen cross-country races Cornell has won thirteen, but it was not until 1908 that the championship cup was put up for competition by the I. A. A. A. A.

The Blues' Committee of Oxford University, England, has developed the same aversion to the Olympic games that is evidenced in other quarters of English athletics, as is shown by the following resolution: "The committee of the British Olympic Council, having issued an appeal for £100,000 ($500,000), that Great Britain may be adequately represented in the Olympic games of 1916, the Blues' Committee duly considered that appeal at their meeting and unanimously agreed to pass the following resolution: 'Whilst entirely disapproving of Olympic games as now conducted, the Blues' Committee recognizes that Great Britain is already committed to the Olympic games, 1916, and therefore hope that all possible support will be given to the games of that year, on the distinct understanding that no obligation is hereby implied or incurred of their support and interest in future years after 1916.'"

Northwestern University claims to possess the tallest athlete engaged in 'varsity sport competition in the person of Alva Van Dyke. He is 7 feet 3½ inches in height and is a candidate for the basketball team. Placing the ball in the basket should prove an easy feat for Van Dyke.



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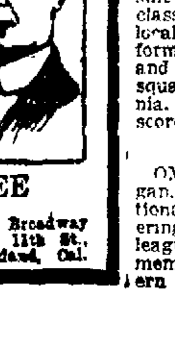

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AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Tribunes continued their winning streak by defeating the heavy hitting Dimond Grocers by a score of 14 to 6. This result brings the Tribune into a tie for second place with the Heintz Clothers and next Sunday the paper boys tackle the league leaders and if they can slip a win over it means a tie for first place, so no doubt this will be a great contest. The score:

TRIBUNES.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Hoffman, 3b.	3	2	2	2	1	1	0
Fernandes, ss.	5	2	2	0	0	1	0
Flieger, 2b.	4	3	2	0	2	2	0
[illegible], 1b.	3	1	1	1	8	0	0
Lloyd, rf.	4	2	1	0	0	0	0
Wilkenson, c.	5	0	1	0	14	0	0
Crosby, lf.	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
Martin, p.	3	1	0	2	0	5	1
Totals	35	6	11	3	27	10	4

DIMOND GROCERS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Strathen, lf.	4	1	1	1	1	0	0
Akerly, ss.-c.	3	0	0	0	2	3	1
Lowe, 3b.	3	0	1	0	1	1	0
Bankhead, cf.-ss	3	1	2	1	4	1	0
Cumings, 1b.	5	0	1	0	12	0	0
Foster, 2b.	5	1	2	1	1	2	2
Boswell, rf.	4	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tuller, c.	3	2	2	0	6	0	1
D. Moir, p.	4	1	2	0	0	3	0
Congo, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

HEINTZ CLOTHERS.

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

Tribunes	6	0	1	0	0	0	4	3	0	—14
Base hits	3	0	1	0	1	0	2	2	0	— 9
Dimonds	1	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	— 6
Base hits	2	2	2	0	1	0	3	1	0	—11

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits — Lloyd, Fernandes, Bankhead, Flieger, Moir. Struck out—By Martin, 12; by Moir, 5. Passed balls—Tuller, 3. Time of game—2 hours and 10 minutes. Umpire—Van Haltren.

The Ambrose Tailors defeated the Heintz Clothers by a score of 9 to 3. The features of the game were the steady pitching of young Starasinich, the phenom developed by the Ambrose management, and the hitting of the tailor boys, and Al Furrie's home run.

HEINTZ CLOTHERS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Kogler, lf.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
Queirole, ss.	5	1	0	0	1	1	0
Jim Devine, 3b.	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Allen, 1b.	4	1	1	1	11	2	0
Grosse, 2b.-lf.	4	0	0	0	2	2	2
Leahy, cf.-c.	4	0	1	1	7	2	0
DeVine, p.-rf.	4	0	2	0	0	2	0
Lyons, c.-cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Monahan, rf.-p.	4	1	0	0	1	1	1
Smith, 2b.	3	0	1	0	2	1	0
Totals	38	3	6	3	24	11	3

AMBROSE.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Powers, ss.	5	1	2	0	1	2	4
Rowers, 2b.	4	1	0	0	1	4	2
Furier, cf.	4	2	2	0	1	0	0
Blitz, lf.	4	2	2	2	2	0	0
Petersen, 3b.	2	1	0	0	0	2	1
McDonough, 1b.	4	1	1	0	12	0	0
Wetzel, rf.	3	0	1	0	1	0	0
Baldwin, c.	2	1	1	0	8	1	1
Starasinich, p.	3	0	1	0	1	3	0
Bennellick, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	[illegible]	9	9	2	27	12	8

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

Heintz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	—3
Base hits	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	1	—6
Ambrose	0	0	7	2	0	0	0	0	x	—9
Base hits	0	1	5	2	0	1	0	0	x	—9

SUMMARY.

Home run—Furier. Six hits and 7 runs off DeVine in 2 1-3 innings. Two-base hits—Jim DeVine, Joe DeVine, Blitz. Sacrifice hits—Starasinich. First base on called balls—Off Starasinich 1, DeVine 1, Monahan 1. Struck out—By Starasinich 7, Monahan 7. Hit by pitcher—Petersen by Monahan. Double plays—Starasinich to McDonough, Allen to Smith. Wild pitches—Monahan 1. Time of game—2 hours. Umpires—Van Haltren and Cummings.

The Live Oaks slipped a surprise over on the Twenty-third Avenue Merchants, beating them by a score of 14 to 5. Moffitt and Tholander composed the battery for the Live Oaks and Kersten and Holstrom for the Merchants.

Tom Clarke is playing a bang up game around first for the Standard Gas Engine team. He is hitting the ball hard and will no doubt be a great help to the Standards, as he has played with some of the best teams around the bay also with Aberdeen in the northwest.

Jack Lacy at short for the Standard Gas Engine team is putting up a fast fielding game, and hitting well. Lacy formerly played with the Twenty-third Avenue Merchants and other fast aggregations. Lou Scossafava who is cavorting in right for the Standard Gas Engine team, is a natural hard hitter. Fielding and base running are of league type. Lou has played with such fast clubs as Boyle & Lawlors, Hale Bros. and Telegraph Hills.

Standing of clubs in the Oakland Suburban Midwinter League:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Ambrose Tailors	7	2	777
xTribunes	5	3	625
xHeintz Clothiers	5	3	625
Twenty-third Ave Merchants	5	4	555
Diamond Grocery	2	7	222
Live Oaks	2	7	222

xHave game to play off to complete schedule.

G. W. Power Co. 5, Berkeley Elks 1.
At Grove street. The score:
G. W. Power, 5-7-0; Elks, 1-2-4.
Batteries: Van Dyke and Seymour; Hedemark and Grin.

Rock Ridge 3, Berkeley Elks 2.
At Grove street. The score:
Rock Ridge, 3-4-1; Elks, 2-5-1.
Batteries: Dorman and Hodgman; Mitchell and Seymour.

Oakland K. O. T. M. 7, Alameda 4.
At Grove street. The score:
Oakland, 7-12-3; Alameda, 4-9-4.
Batteries: Moyles and Dahl; Elliott and Laughlin.

Coast Artillery 6, Piedmont 1.
At Grove street. The score:
Artillery, 6-3-2; Piedmont, 1-2-8.
Batteries: Buckner and Purdy; Hogan and Abrahamson.

S. P. Owl 9, Richmonds 8.
The S. P. Owls defeated the Richmond team. Score:
S. P. Owls, 9-10-1; Richmonds, 8-9-3.
Batteries: Owls, Collins and Dillon; Richmonds, Ruman and Moloney.

Herbert's Cafe 3, American Rubbers 2.
In a fast contest, featured by the hitting of Roby and the clever pitching of Ray Kremer, who struck out fourteen of the opposing players, the Herbert Cafe nine downed the American Rubber Company team at Emeryville. The score:
Herbert's, 3-6-2; American Rubbers, 2-6-2.
Batteries: Kremer and Burke; Sinclair and Perroy.

All Stars 8, Oakland Stars 1.
[illegible] Score:
Doyles, 8-15-3; Oaklands, 1-3-1.
Batteries: Doyle and Murphy; Dahlen and Johnson.

Rock Ridge 3, Lehnhardt's 3.
At Bayview park. The score:
Rock Ridge, 3-5-2; Lehnhardt's, 3-6-3.
Batteries: Dorman and Nelson; Spencer and Hinds.

Druggists 6, Greater Oakland 6.
At Bushrod park. The score:
Druggists, 6-4-2; Oakland, 6-2-2.
Batteries: Lydiatt and Moore; Beesley and Brown.

In preparation for the big charity ball game next Sunday afternoon, the ball tossers of the Alameda and Berkeley Elks were out yesterday going through the paces. The Alamedans held forth at Lincoln park, Alameda, where they put in two hours of hard practice, while the college town players participated in a game at the State League park, Oakland, where the rival lodges will play Sunday.

The Oakland Maccabees again defeated the Alamedas by a score of 7 to 4 at the Grove street grounds yesterday. After getting a five-run lead Moyles eased up and the Alamedas put over a couple in the third which the hard hitting Maccabees got back in the sixth with two, but Moyles tightened up and there was no more scoring. Fairbanks at second and Munson at first played very fast ball. The score:

OAKLAND MACCABEES.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
F. Monson, ss.	5	2	1	1	1	4	1
Gomez, lf.	5	2	1	0	1	0	0
Fairbanks, 2b.	5	0	2	0	1	3	0
Watchers, 3b.	5	0	3	1	1	2	0
J. Monson, 1b.	4	0	1	0	13	0	0
Hensley, cf.	4	0	0	0	1	0	1
Johnston, rf.	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Dahl, c.	4	1	1	0	8	2	1
Moyles, p.	4	1	2	0	1	3	0
Busikist, rf.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	7	12	2	27	14	3

ALAMEDA.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
O'Connell, c.	4	0	1	0	6	1	1
Kuse, 1b.	3	0	0	0	12	0	0
Loomis, ss.	4	1	1	0	0	3	1
Laughlin, cf.	4	1	1	0	1	0	0
Calahan, rf.	3	0	1	0	1	0	1
Bruzzone, 2b.	3	0	0	0	2	2	0
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1
Renken, lf.	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Elliott, p.-cf.	4	0	1	0	1	2	0
Lainer, p.	2	1	1	0	0	2	0
Thompson, 2b.	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	34	4	9	1	27	12	4

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

Maccabees	2	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	— 7
Base hits	1	5	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	—12
Alameda	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	— 4
Base hits	0	0	1	0	1	4	1	0	2	— 9

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Calahan, Gomez. Sacrifice hits—J. Monson, Rankin. First base on called balls—Off Moyles 1, off Lainer 2. Struck out—By Moyles 3, by Elliott 2, by Lainer 2. Double plays—Moyles to F. Monson to J. Monson. Passed balls—O'Connel 2, Dahl 1. Wild pitch—Lainer. Time of game—1 hour 40 minutes. Umpires—Crane and Swanson.

Gunboat's Sweetheart Is Coming With Mrs. Murphy

(Con. From Preceding Page)

began this morning. Tickets are being sold at the usual places. From the crowds which have visited the two camps during the last days of training, Coffroth will not be a loser, financially, by a long ways.

In order to offset an advantage to Pelkey who had his father come west in order to be his mascot for the bout, Smith has wired his sweetheart to come here. She will arrive tomorrow with Mrs. Tommy Murphy, who is coming from Harlem. She is coming from Ontorio.

Tom McCarey, the southern promoter, has abandoned his attempt to stage a Dillon-Clabby battle there next month. Clabby would not agree to a fraction more than 158 pounds ringside.

Larney Litchenstein, Clabby's manager, is on his way to the coast and will come here via Los Angeles, where Clabby is now sojourning. Offers are pending from the Oakland Wheelmen's club and a score of others.

The promoters in Taft want him to meet Fritz Holland there next month. Milwaukee wants him to meet Lee Houck. New Orleans wants him to meet Mike Gibbons.

In each case, he is offered $2000 with the privilege of a percentage as his share.

After the Azevedo-Vaise contest on January 13, Sacramento Joe will go south and box for McCarey who is anxious to put him against Charley White, Leach Cross, Johnny Dundee or Young Shugrue.

Reno sportsmen are coming to the front with a demand for a world's heavyweight contest the first week in July as the climax of an Eagles and Moose carnival. A record purse will be offered to the two most prominent contenders at the time.

Announcement is made by Manager Engle that Frank Klaus will never fight again and that the pair cleaned up $125,000 in the few years they were together.

Sporting men just returned from abroad say England is trying to find a good heavyweight boxer. The Daily Sketch and Sporting Chronicle, have undertaken the task. These papers are putting up $25,000 for the best heavyweight boxer in England, Scotland, Ireland or Wales. The conditions are that the man who has not won more than $10, in a boxing contest may enter for the prize.

There is to be a series of contests and they are to be divided up as follows: Twelve in England, six in Scotland, four in Ireland and two in Wales. The best man developed is to fight Carpentier for the British title.

Joe Azevedo who meets Frenchy Vaise before the Wheelmen club on January 13, will train at the Yosemite club in West Oakland. He will start operations Sunday, and through his manager, Jimmy Rohen, invites the fans down to see him in his workouts. Bubbles Robinson will act as one of his sparring partners.

Vaise and his manager, Joe O'Connor, have decided upon Shannon's place in San Rafael, and the little northerner will begin training in the course of the next few days.

BROOKLYNS BEAT YOSEMITE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29. — The Brooklyns outclassed the Yosemites for [illegible] cisco yesterday on the St. Ignatius grounds. The score was 12 to 0, the result of two touchdowns. Most of the class of the victors was made up by two localized easterners, quarterback Adams, formerly of Bucknell college, Akron, Ohio, and Rightend Hogan, formerly on the squad at the University of Pennsylvania. These men made the only two scores of the afternoon's play.

AFTER BROOKLYN PITCHER.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 29. — "Pat" Ragan, star pitcher of the Brooklyn National league club, is seriously considering overtures made to him by Federal league officials. Ragan was formerly a member of the Omaha club of the Western league and lives in this city.

MANY RETIRED BOXERS HAVE ACCUMULATED FORTUNES

Knights of Squared Circle in Many Cases Did Not Toss Earnings Away.

In looking over the records of the great boxers in the past it is interesting to note how they fared after leaving the ring. Large fortunes have been [illegible] as quickly lost, though in most cases the knights of the squared circle have been able to hold on to their money after retiring from the game.

James J. Jeffries received more than $400,000 during his career. In one year Jeff and W. A. Brady, his manager, split $206,000. After leaving the ring he opened a saloon in Los Angeles and is doing well. He has saved about $150,000 from his earnings in the ring.

Tom Sharkey, though never champion, is the wealthiest boxer of them all. He earned about $150,000 in the ring. Of this he saved around $75,000, the rest going to his manager, and for other expenses. On retiring he started a saloon in New York with a partner. At the end of four years he bought out his partner for $40,000. He still owns this saloon. His present wealth is estimated at a quarter of a million.

CORBETT RICH.

James Corbett, ex-heavyweight champion, who probably did not earn over $100,000 in the ring, has by his good management, been able not only to save this, but to continually add to it. With a splendid salary of $750 a week for his work on the stage, Corbett today is probably worth over $150,000.

Tommy Burns, ex-heavyweight champion, has earned about $100,000 in the ring. He is worth over $150,000. Tommy is doing well in real estate.

James E. Britt, ex-lightweight champion, has received from $60,000 to $75,000 for his services. Britt, like Corbett, is an exceptionally bright man.

Though he never earned over $50,000 during his entire career, Gus Ruhlin left his widow $30,000 when he died, proving that he was a very conservative man.

Packy McFarland has never shared in a large purse since he has been fighting, yet today he is worth in the neighborhood of $75,000. During the past year Packy has been preparing himself to take up law.

AD NOT RICH.

Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion, received over $150,000 in purses. Yet today he is probably not worth over $60,000. A great deal of this money which he lost can be attributed to the wonderful confidence the little fellow had in his ability. Stung by adverse criticism after his operation, he wagered heavily on himself. His manager, Tom Jones, also lost large sums on him.

Billy Papke, ex-middleweight champion, has managed to save between $60,000 and $75,000 out of an earning of about $100,000.

Jack Root's earnings in the ring were under $40,000. Yet by shrewd management and his natural ability to make friends, he has been able to accumulate close to $150,000. Jack was one of the first to take advantage of the big money in the moving picture business.

Tommy Ryan, ex-middleweight champion, was not fortunate enough to make over $50,000 in the ring, but by careful investments, he is now estimated at over $100,000.

Bat Nelson, ex-lightweight champion, received over $100,000 while he was champion. He has not done very well in business, making several bad investments. Nevertheless, he is still worth around $80,000.

JOHN L. WEALTHY.

John L. Sullivan, who is looked upon as the greatest of all [illegible] cause of his nationality than of any deed that he has performed, but for his extreme charity and honesty, could have been very wealthy today. Yet with his earnings on the stage and his property in Boston he is now worth about $75,000.

These are all men who have been able to save their money since leaving the ring. But there are many cases where vast fortunes have been squandered.

George Dixon (colored) ex-featherweight champion, earned between $60,000 and $75,000. Today he is broke.

Solly Smith, ex-featherweight champion, earned about the same as Dixon. He is also broke.

Young Corbett, ex-lightweight champion, received close to $100,000 while in the ring, yet today he is worth nothing.

Terry McGovern, ex-featherweight champion, made over $125,000, but outside of the presents he gave his mother, he has nothing.

GANS DIED PENNILESS.

Joe Gans, ex-lightweight champion, who was perhaps the greatest lightweight of them all, died penniless of consumption.

Abe Attell, ex-featherweight champion, and also the greatest of featherweights, received over $100,000 in the many years he was champion. He has not been able to save any of it.

Among the present day fighters Joe Rivers, who has been fighting but a short while, has been able to take care of his mother for the rest of her life and also put away a neat little sum for himself and wife.

When he started his career it seemed as though he would squander all his money, but a change has come over the little fellow of late, and those who used to criticize him, are now loud in their praise for him.

Willie Ritchie, the present lightweight champion, has not had time to make much money as yet, but at that Willie is worth close to $20,000, and unless all indications fail he will some day rank among the wealthiest of boxers.

SPORTLETS

A large fish hatchery is now nearing completion at Dallas, Texas. White perch are to be one of the chief outputs of the hatchery.

Large numbers of sunfish and black bass have recently arrived from streams in Illinois for planting in Pennsylvania streams.

The Pennsylvania department of fisheries has purchased a forty-two-foot motorboat for use in connection with the fish hatchery at Torresdale.

A fishway 700 feet long and varying in width from 20 to 106 feet, has just been completed on the Susquehanna river. It was built under the direction of the state fish hatchery commission in the hope that the shad fishery on this river might be restored.

Harvard's varsity football players will be asked to refrain from writing signed [illegible] Announcement to this effect will be made next fall by Captain Brickley or by some one else in authority. For some time many of Harvard's football leaders have favored just such a step and a meeting was held recently at which the question was thoroughly discussed. Captain Brickley and "Tack" Hardwick already have been approached with offers of $100 per game for expert reviews next fall.

A large number of white bass and crappies have been received at Winchester, Ky., for planting in the streams of that state.

Sixteen thousand fingerling trout were recently received at Springfield, Mass. They will be placed in streams in Northampton, Pittsfield, Westboro, Lynn, Athol, Williamsburg, New Bedford and Foxboro.

By April next more than 53,000,000 fish eggs will be hatched at the United States fish hatchery in Lester Park, Duluth, Minn.

Two carloads of fish were recently distributed among the lakes and streams of Nebraska in the Elkhorn valley.

The poor run of salmon at Walmath Falls, Ore., is said to be due to the United States fish hatchery at that place. The state game and fish commission claim that the racks and screens, which the hatchery has stretched clear across the river, have prevented the fish from ascending above that point. No salmon were found above these racks.

While the Yale football schedule will not be announced formally until after New Year's, it was learned last night that all the games except one have been tentatively decided upon. The schedule includes University of Maine, Lehigh, Washington and Jefferson, University of Virginia, Colgate, Brown, Princeton and Harvard. All the games except that with Princeton will be played here.

The Wisconsin commissioners of fisheries have collected about 50,000,000 lake trout eggs and have placed them in the Bayfield, Sturgeon Bay and Sheboygan hatcheries, where they will be given the proper care during the winter months. Next spring, after the eggs have hatched and the fry attained the proper size, they will be planted in the waters from which the eggs were taken.

In 1871 819,000 shad fry were planted in the Sacramento river, California. In twenty years the fish increased in such numbers as to more than fill the demand, and their presence was reported from southeastern Alaska to Mexico. The immense number of them caught in recent years along the Pacific coast seem to have made no impression on the numbers.

Colonel Joseph H. Ackler, of Nashville, Tenn., formerly a member of congress from that state, has been named chief game warden of the United States. It will be his duty to see to the enforcement of the new federal laws relating to migratory birds. Colonel Ackler has been game warden of Tennessee for ten years.

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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT ON THE SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL STOCK OF HAVENSCOURT COMPANY, A CORPORATION.

HAVENSCOURT COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business: City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 25th day of November, 1913, an assessment (No. 1) of ten (10) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable to the Secretary of the corporation, at the office of the corporation, room numbered 812 on the eighth floor of the building known as The Oakland Bank of Savings Building, situated on the northeast corner of Twelfth street and Broadway, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Wednesday, the 31st day of December, 1913, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment is made before, will be sold on Friday, the 16th day of January, 1914, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.
IRA A. MILLER,
Secretary of Havenscourt Company, a corporation.

Location of office: Room No. 812, on the eighth floor of the building known as The Oakland Bank of Savings Building, situated on the northeast corner of Twelfth street and Broadway, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

BANK OF ITALY,
Southeast corner Montgomery and Clay streets, San Francisco.
Market street branch, junction Market, Turk and Mason streets.

For the half year ending December 31, 1913, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after Friday, January 2, 1914. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 1, 1914. Money deposited on or before January 10 will earn interest from January 1, 1914.

L. SCATENA, President.
A. PEDRINI, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the Mountain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central National Bank, northeast corner of Fourteenth and Broadway, Oakland, Calif., Wednesday, January 7, 1914, at 2 p. m.

C. L. DINGLEY, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING LADIES' RELIEF SOCIETY OF OAKLAND.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Relief Society of Oakland, for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year, will be postponed from the first Thursday in January, 1914, that day being a legal holiday, to Friday, the second day of January, 1914, and will be held at the home of the Ladies' Relief Society, 932 Forty-fifth street at 10 o'clock a. m.

By order of the Board.
JESSIE CAMPBELL,
Cor. Sec. L. R. S. of O.
Oakland, Dec. 26, 1913.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

UNION SAVINGS BANK,
Oakland, Cal.

For the six months ending December 31, 1913, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1914. Dividends not called for will be added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal.

C. F. GORMAN, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE GERMAN SAVINGS AND LOAN SOCIETY.
(The German Bank)
526 California street, San Francisco.

[illegible] 1913, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on all deposits, payable on and after Friday, January 2, 1914. Dividends not called for are added to the deposit account and earn dividend from January 1, 1914.

GEORGE TOURNEY, Manager.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Oakland Bank of Savings,
Oakland, Cal.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, Oakland, California, on Monday, January 12, 1914, at 3 o'clock P. M.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, President.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE SET FOR PROVING WILL AND CODICILS, AND APPLICATION FOR LETTERS TESTAMENTARY.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martha V. Woodward, Deceased. No. 18410.

Notice of time and place set for proving will and codicils, and application for letters testamentary.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the Will and Codicils of Martha V. Woodward, deceased, and for the issuance to Thomas P. Woodward and Mary W. Edwardes of Letters Testamentary has been filed in this Court, and that Thursday, the 8th day of January, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated: December 26th, A. D. 1913.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.

Attorneys for Petitioners, 901 Hearst Building, San Francisco.

PER 4 CENT

Annual dividend has been declared by the

Central Savings Bank of Oakland and Telegraph Avenue Branch

for the half year ending December 31st, 1913, on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Friday, January 2nd, 1914.

Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 1, 1914.

Deposits made on or before January 10th will draw interest from January 1st, 1914.

Central Savings Bank of Oakland.
ARTHUR L. HARRIS, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

Farmers and Merchants Savings Bank of Oakland, California

FRANKLIN & THIRTEENTH STREETS

For the half year ending December 31, 1913, dividends to depositors (payable on and after Friday, January 2, 1914) have been declared at the following rates per annum:

4 PER CENT ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.
3 PER CENT ON SPECIAL ORDINARY ACCOUNTS (SUBJECT TO CHECK).

Dividends not called for will be added to the account, and will earn the same rate of interest as the principal from January 1, 1914. Terms deposits made on or before January 10, 1914, will earn interest from January 1, 1914.

GEORGE S. MEREDITH, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND at the rate of FOUR (4) PER CENT payable on and after Friday, January 2d, 1914, has been declared by the SECURITY BANK AND TRUST CO. on all Savings Deposits, for the half year ending December 31st, 1913.

Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from January 1st, 1914.

Deposits made on or before January 10th, 1914, draw interest from January 1st, 1914.

CHAS. A. SMITH, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Savings Bank will be held at the office of said corporation, situated at the Northeast corner of Broadway and Thirteenth street in the City of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 13th day of January, 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, said meeting being held for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

L. E. BOARDMAN,
Secretary of Union Savings Bank.
Oakland, December 27, 1913.

ANNUAL MEETING.

December 14th, 1913.

To the Stockholders of the Harbor Bank:

The regular Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Harbor Bank will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner 12th and Franklin Sts., City of Oakland, State of California, on Tuesday, January 13th, 1914, at 3:30 p. m., for the election of a Board of Directors and such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting.

C. A. BROWN, Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

State of California, County of Alameda.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of THE HUMBOLDT COUNTY LAND AND DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, a corporation, will be held on Monday, January 5th, 1914, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the office of the company, room 202, Security Bank Building, No. 1106 Broadway, Oakland, Alameda County, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

E. L. BUNDY, Secretary.
Dated: December 15th, 1913.

DIVIDEND NOTICE

FIRST TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK,
OAKLAND, CAL.

For the six months ending December 31, 1913, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4%) per cent per annum on all deposits payable on and after January 2, 1914; dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 1, 1914.

Money deposited on or before January 10th will receive interest from January 1st.

O. D. JACOBY, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the State Savings Bank will be held at the banking room of said corporation, corner of Thirteenth and Franklin streets, Oakland, California, on Tuesday, the 6th day of January, 1914, at three o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for transacting such other business as may legally come before them.

S. C. BENNETTS, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation on Tuesday, January 13, 1914, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

ARTHUR L. HARRIS, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central National Bank of Oakland will be held at the office of the association, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway, Oakland, Cal., on Tuesday, January 12th, 1914, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

H. A. MOSHER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS,
OAKLAND, CAL.

For the six months ending December 31st, 1913, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on savings deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1914. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 1, 1914.

Deposits made on or before January 10th, bear interest from the first of that month.

J. Y. ECCLESTON, Cashier.

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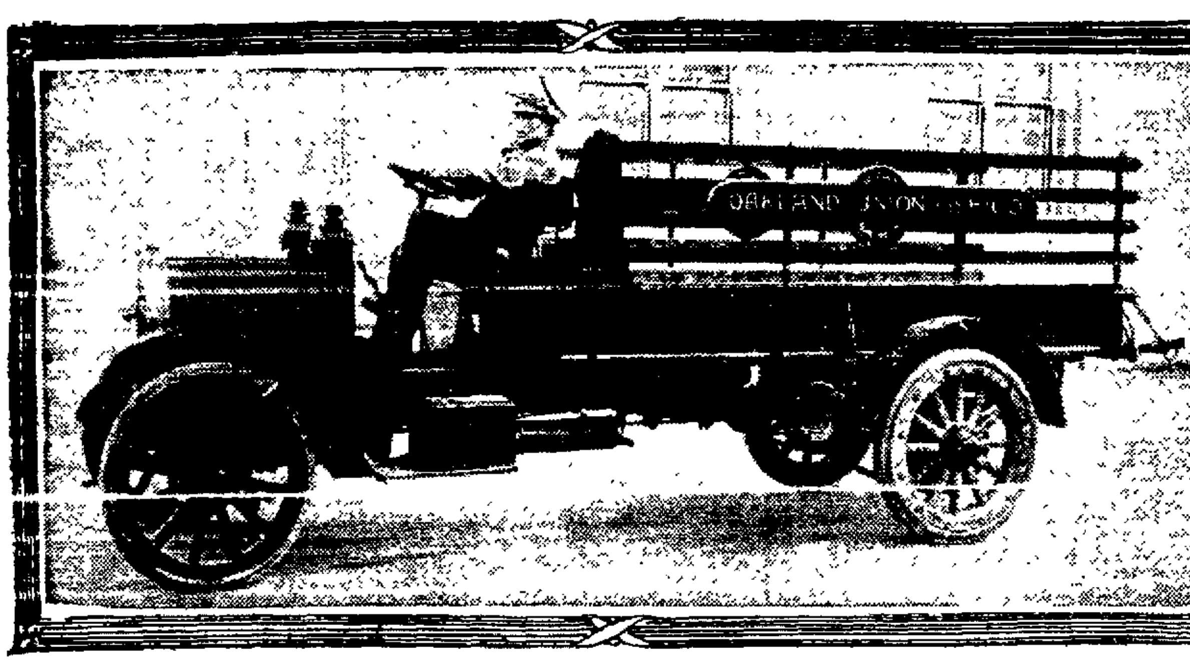

TIRE ACCESSORIES PAY THE MOTORISTS

Goodyear Man Relates How He Got More Mileage on Casings.

"Several instances have proved to my own satisfaction that the use of tire accessories saves tire expense," says L. C. Rockhill, manager Automobile Tire Depart, the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company.

Mr. Rockhill was recently in need of a tire for his touring car. Instead of purchasing a new one he resolved to make an experiment, the results of which are sufficiently interesting to note.

He personally went down to the factory and from a pile of old tires returned picked one that had been sent in by a branch and had been replaced for ten dollars. The inspection of the tire adjuster read as follows:

"Side walls weakened, due to under-inflation. Fabric broken and blown out, due to shock. Customer will not stand for repair."

The tire was carefully inspected by Mr Rockhill and he decided that it was possible to obtain many more miles of service. He took it to the garage, where he had a blow-out patch inserted, and an inside tire protector. The tube was then inserted and the tire was placed on the machine.

After the tire had given 2000 miles of service the tread became worn, so it was not deemed safe to run it longer. All this additional mileage cost him in tire expense was the cost of the accessories and the accessories themselves were in good condition at the finish, and could be used in other tires.

"This is just an illustration that shows the amount of tire mileage that is being thrown away by automobile owners every day," says Mr. Rockhill, "because they do not understand the value of the different tire accessories. This also proves that there are many cases where tires do not have to be taken to repair men if you know how to use the proper accessory.

"For instance, repair gum, which can be easily applied by an amateur, takes the place of vulcanizing cuts in the tread. Self-cure patches will satisfactorily repair a punctured tube as well as a thirty-five cent vulcanizing job. Blow-out patches rim-cut patches, inside liners all have their uses. The motorist who learns this early in his experience is the one who reduces the cost of tire up-keep to a minimum."

GRABS HORSE'S NOSE AND SAVES 3 LIVES

FREDERICKSBURG, Md., Dec. 29.—By gripping the nose of a runaway horse so tightly that the animal's wind was shut off, Frank Smith, a farmer boy, saved the lives of Mrs. William Cooper Trice, her daughter and a baby. Only through his agility was the boy saved from injury when the animal tried to trample him.

Smith saw the animal with a carriage swaying behind dash down Federal hill. He grabbed the bridle as the horse swept by, but his hold was broken. He then got hold of the horse's nose. The animal was about to swing about when forced to stop. Mrs. Trice and the children were in the carriage.

KIDNAPED BRIDE TO PROTECT HER, HE SAYS

IOLA, Kas., Dec. 29.—"I too Mary Armstrong Dean away because she told me she had been threatened and needed protection," said Homer McCord. McCord was arrested yesterday in connection with the alleged abduction of Mrs. Dean, a bride of a few days, from the courthouse park here last July.

Both Mrs. Dean and Harvey Dean, her husband, repudiated McCord's statement. They declared McCord used force and threats in taking Mrs. Dean away.

RUSSIAN HEIR AGAIN REPORTED IN DANGER

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The Daily Mail prints a dispatch from its correspondent at St. Petersburg to the effect that it is learned from a trustworthy source that the health of the Cazrowitz, who has been suffering from skin disease for more than a year, is again causing anxiety to the Czar and Czarina.

The heir to the throne is believed to have over exerted himself and is suffering from effusion of the blood.

FAVORS ELECTRIC LOCOMOTION.

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 29.—Experience with heavy railroad operation in New York shows that electric locomotives can be run 2500 miles without inspection, according to an item in the Electrical World. This statement is made [illegible] the electrification of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway from Harlowton, Mont., to Avery, Idaho, 440 miles, of which 112 miles will be electrified first. The item continues:

"As there will be no delays in the St. Paul electrification for coaling, taking on water, cleaning fires or waiting for steam, it seems a fair conclusion that the tonnage will be handled with fewer locomotives, higher average speed and with a regularity which will result in better operating conditions. Passengers [illegible] without the annoyances incident to [illegible] locomotion. Another point of interest is that while the steam locomotive is at its worst in freezing weather, the electric locomotive is at its best at [illegible] time, since practically the only difficulty with the electric locomotive is to [illegible] the motors from heating when doing maximum work."

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OAKLAND'S BOYS AND GIRLS

Is Clever Student Will Be Musician

BARBARA LEE.

Under the guidance of her mother little Barbara Lee, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lee of Calamar avenue, has completed a kindergarten course. Barbara is proving to be a very apt pupil and before entering the public school she will be ready to say that she has passed through much of the primary work.

Many of the little folk of this city are receiving instruction at home, where they are being coached by their parents.

Pretty Barbara is a very attractive child and is much admired by the members of the juvenile set as well as the older folks. She has shown talent for the pianoforte and will enroll in a school of music in about a year. Her playmates are anxiously awaiting for Barbara to make her debut.

ATHLETICS AWAIT SCHOOL OPENING

Lads' Organizations Will Plan Work of Season; Girls' Association Active.

With the opening of the schools next Monday morning athletic organizations of the grammar and high schools will plan the work of the season. The lads will prepare for the annual spring track meet and the interscholastic contests will be conducted for sportsmanship honors.

The Girls' Athletic Association will soon outline their games for the spring months. Last semester the various clubs, including basket ball, boating, swimming and tennis, made an excellent record in the world of sports. A number of the freshman students appeared in the games with the higher classmen. The officers of the association were Carolyn Norman, president; Pearl Avery, vice-president; May Mason, secretary; Gladys Bradner, sergeant at arms; Anna Street, yell leader, and Ora Mills, assistant yell leader.

Football was the principal outdoor sport for the boys of the Oakland high school during the past winter term. There were many rallies conducted by the students, who won many victories in their contests with the bay city teams.

In the grammar schools basket ball was the leading pastime for the girls, but only a limited number of games were scheduled between rival teams for the season.

NEW CONSUL-GENERAL.

PANAMA, Dec. 29.—Tong Thiang Chong yesterday took up his post as Chinese Consul-General here in succession to Ou Yang-Kong, whose exequatur was returned to him by the Panama Government in consequence of his alleged opposition to the Chinese registration tax being put into effect. Ou Yang-Kong has been transferred to Batavia, Java.

FINCH ORPHANAGE Y.M.C.A. GUESTS

Fruitvale Lads Visit Oakland Building and Enjoy Tank Plunge.

Eighteen boys of the Fred Finch Orphanage of Fruitvale were the guests of the members of the Oakland Young Men's Christian Association this morning. The youngsters inspected the building, played games in the boys' room of the association and enjoyed a plunge in the tank.

On New Year's night the boys of the association will be entertained by Charles Countryman of Chicago. The affair will be attended by the charter members. There are about 500 boys who enrolled when the charter was framed. Prior to the reception there will be a dinner for which covers will be laid for several hundred. The men will be the hosts at an open house in the gymnasium on Thursday night, when Countryman will amuse the older folks.

QUERCULI BOYS' PERIODICAL APPEARS

The second issue of the "Querculi," the official periodical of the Querculi Boys' Club, made its appearance at the meeting held Saturday night. The paper contained accounts of the various activities in the club. There was also a story written by Alfred Solomon and a poem by the members on their last camping trip.

An extemporaneous debate on the question "Resolved, That the automobile has a brighter future than the aeroplane," was participated in by Elmer Croudace's team, which was composed of Elmer Croudace, Luther Allen and Arthur Lacoste, and Ernest Louvau's team, composed of Ernest Louvau, Ned Lorenzen and Charles Jensen. The former team spoke for the affirmative while the latter represented the negative. The affirmative won. This was one of the scheduled debates now being held in the clubrooms. The trophy which the members are debating for is a cup, donated to the boys by Miss Mincher, the librarian.

The club is open for challenges in basket ball, baseball, soccer football track and debates.

OAKLANDER HEADS SAN JOSE PLAYGROUNDS

Seven playgrounds have been opened in Fresno under the supervision of Elbert Vail, formerly director of the boys' department of Mosswood Park playground of this city. In an interview this morning Vail stated that the members of the women's clubs of Fresno and the [illegible] the movement their support and are very enthusiastic over the playground plan. The playground activities are similar to those in this community, where Vail was a pioneer worker.

RIOTOUS SESSION PROLONGED.

AGRAM, Croatia, Dec. 29.—The riotous session of the diet which began Saturday afternoon did not end until 3 o'clock yesterday morning. Deputy Nedakowitch was re-elected president. He served as president of the last two diets.

OFFICIAL.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1913.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Board met at 10 o'clock a. m. On the call of the roll the following were present:

Supervisors Bridge, Foss, Kelley, Murphy and Chairman Mullins—5.

On motion of Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Foss, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was waived, and they were approved as entered in the minute book, without alteration.

APPLICATIONS FOR RELIEF.

The following applications for relief were received and referred to the Associated Charities and Indigent Clerk:

J. Pallenbaum, 263 Market street, Oakland.

Mrs. Paula Noresi, 1423 Fourteenth street, Oakland.

AUDITOR'S FINANCIAL REPORT.

Financial reports for the month ending November, 1913, were received and ordered filed.

AFFIDAVITS OF PUBLICATION.

The following affidavits of publication were received and ordered filed:

Hayward Journal—Liquor application of A. B. Petersen, Dublin Canyon.

Township Register—Liquor application of Jos. S. Dutra, Mission San Jose.

REQUISITIONS.

The following requisitions were granted:

C. F. Horner, Assessor—Requisitions for Supplies.

W. H. L. Hynes, District Attorney—Printing, etc.

D. J. Murphy, Supervisor—Auto Supplies.

Wm. Hunter, Janitor—Plumbing Repairs.

Christopher Ruess, Probation Officer—Supplies.

P. A. Haviland, County Surveyor—Supplies.

Everette Horton, Bridge Tender—Ton of Coal.

M. J. Kelly, Treasurer—Rubber Stamps.

Dr. J. P. Maher, Supt. Dental Infirmary—Supplies (3 requisitions).

A. C. Bayley, Gardener—Gravel.

Wells Drury, Secretary Publicity Commissioners—Photo Prints, etc.

M. Tobriner, Assistant Purchasing Agent—Indigent Record Book, etc.

John P. Cook, County Clerk — Three requisitions for Stationery, etc.

Frank Barnet, Sheriff—Auto Supplies.

C. K. Clark, Jailer—Two requisitions for Supplies.

W. J. Rogers, Engineer Hall of Records—[illegible] oil (2 requisitions).

J. M. Page, Superintendent Detention Home—Two requisitions for Supplies.

Manuel Brown road foreman—Supplies.

Everette Horton, Bridge Tender—Supplies.

Dr. C. A. Wills, Superintendent County Infirmary—Requisitions for Supplies.

J. F. Summers, Janitor—Two requisitions for Supplies.

Paul Goldsmith, Secretary Exposition Commission—Supplies.

APPLICATIONS FOR LIQUOR LICENSES.

The following applications for liquor licenses were received:

J. T. Brennan, Castro Valley.

Maud Drury, San Lorenzo.

The applications were referred to the Franchise and License Committee, hearing on them being set for Monday, January 12, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., requisite notice to be published as follows:

Brennan—Hayward Journal.

Drury—San Leandro Reporter.

REPORT OF FRANCHISE AND LICENSE COMMITTEE.

The Franchise and License Committee reported favorably on the following applications, there being no protest.

A. B. Petersen, Canyon Inn, Eden Township.

Joseph S. Dutra, Mission San Jose.

Thereupon, on motion of Supervisor Murphy, seconded by Supervisor Bridge, appropriate resolutions were introduced and adopted granting to said Petersen and said Dutra permits to sell liquor for one year.

PETITION TO GRADE ADAMS ST., SAN LORENZO.

A petition signed by H. F. Schlueter, E. E. Boettcher and 15 others was received, asking that Adams street, San Lorenzo, be graded and graveled. Same was referred to Supervisor Bridge.

WORK ON EAST FOURTEENTH ST. ACCEPTED.

A report was received from the Surveyor stating that Nissen Bros. had completed their contract for surbing and guttering the southerly line of the San Leandro-Hayward Road, or County Road No. 1607. On motion of Supervisor Bridge, seconded by Supervisor Murphy, said work was accepted.

EXTENSION OF THE TIME FOR SPRUCE STREET WORK.

On motion of Supervisor Foss, seconded by Supervisor Bridge, the Spring Construction Company was granted an extension of 60 days for the improvement of Spruce street.

EXTENSION OF TIME FOR ALAMEDA CREEK BRIDGE.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy, seconded by Supervisor Foss, C. E. Cotton was granted an extension of 30 days for the completion of a bridge across Alameda Creek, east of Niles.

PERMISSION TO CONSTRUCT CROSSINGS OVER WESTERN PAC. CO.

A certified copy was received of an order by the Railroad Commission granting permission to Alameda county to construct two public highway crossings overhead over the tracks of the Western Pacific Railway Company to Niles Canyon. Same was ordered filed.

WM. RICHARDS APPOINTED BRIDGE TENDER.

The following resolution was introduced:

[illegible] that William Richards be and he is hereby appointed Temporary Bridge Tender at the Webster Street Bridge from December 24, 1913, to and including January 7, 1914, at a compensation of $62.50.

On motion of Supervisor Bridge, seconded by Supervisor Kelley, the resolution was adopted.

TO INSTALL LIGHTS ON EAST AVENUE, HAYWARD.

The following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, Petitions have heretofore been filed with this Board for the installation of lights on East Avenue in Mt. Eden Road District, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED that the installation of eight lights on East Avenue, east of Hayward in Mt. Eden Road District, at points selected by Supervisor Bridge, be and the same is hereby authorized at a rental of $1.75 per month each, and be it further

RESOLVED that the Purchasing Agent issue his order to the Pacific Gas & Electric Company to make the necessary installation.

On motion of Supervisor Bridge, seconded by Supervisor Foss, the resolution was adopted.

COUNTY INFIRMARY AMBULANCE ACCEPTED.

On motion of Supervisor Bridge, seconded by Supervisor Foss, an ambulance for the County Infirmary furnished by the Pope-Hartford Company, as per contract, was accepted.

DRIVER FOR AMBULANCE.

The following resolution was introduced:

RESOLVED that Daniel Juarez be and he is hereby appointed as Driver for the County Infirmary Ambulance at a compensation of $100.00 per month, said appointment to date from the 24th of December, 1913, to serve at the pleasure of the Board.

On motion of Supervisor Foss, seconded by Supervisor Murphy, the resolution was adopted.

PRICES FOR ALAMEDA COUNTY WATER DISTRICT ELECTION.

The following resolution was introduced:

RESOLVED that the following prices and compensation be and is hereby allowed for services rendered in connection with the Alameda Water District Election to be held on December 30th, 1913:

Rent of Polling place—$5.00.

Election officers—$5.00.

Furniture for Polling Place—$2.50.

Delivering and setting up booth—$8.00.

Returning and taking down booths—$8.00.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy, seconded by Supervisor Foss, the resolution was adopted.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS FOR ORPHEUM.

The following resolution was introduced:

RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County hereby extend their thanks and appreciation to Mr. George Ebey and Mr. J. Sonnenberg, managers of the Oakland Orpheum, for the kindness of furnishing their talent in entertaining the indigents and inmates at the Alameda County Infirmary on last Friday, December 19th, 1913.

On motion of Supervisor Bridge, seconded by Supervisor Foss, the resolution was adopted.

PRICES FOR INDIGENT GRAVES.

The following resolution was introduced:

RESOLVED that from and after this date the sum of ten ($10.00) dollars for adult graves and five ($5.00) dollars for children's graves will be allowed by this Board for all persons who shall have died at the County Infirmary and whose desire it was to be interred in private cemeteries, and who shall have left no funds to pay for the cost of burial.

On motion of Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Murphy, the resolution was adopted.

S. S. IRISH APPOINTED RODENT EXTERMINATOR.

The following Resolution was introduced.

WHEREAS this Board did on August 11, 1913, appoint W. H. King as an Inspector for the purpose of exterminating and destroying rodents, and

WHEREAS, said W. H. King has resigned as such Inspector on December 1st, 1913, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED that S. S. Irish be and he is hereby appointed as Inspector for the prosecuting and extermination and destruction of rodents, to serve during the pleasure of this Board and without pay provided, however, that he shall receive his actual and necessary traveling expenses in the performance of his duties, not to exceed Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars in any one month.

On motion of Supervisor Foss, seconded by Supervisor Bridge, the resolution was adopted.

CANCELLATIONS OF SALE.

Certificates requesting cancellation of certificates of sale and deeds resulting from erroneous assessments were received as follows:

Mary A. Scott, sale No. 19829.

Thermal Fruit Company, sale No. 17,570 and deed No. 16030.

Sunol Land & Improvement Co., sale No. 16030.

M. Da Cambra, sale Nos. 21305 and 21,306.

C. R. Goss, sale No. 19754 and deed No. 19754.

Alvira M. Brady, sale No. 21261.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy, seconded by Supervisor Foss, said certificates of sale and deeds were ordered cancelled.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were received and acted upon as follows:

C. A. Muller—In re permission to place sign on Dublin Road—Ref to Supervisor Bridge.

State Commissioners of Horticulture—In re Lecture given to County Horticulturists—Filed.

Publicity Commission—In re letter concerning survey of Alameda County—Filed.

MAP OF THERMAL RANCHO SUNOL.

The following resolution was introduced:

WHEREAS, Thermal Fruit Company presented to this Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, the map entitled "thermal Rancho, Sunol, Alameda County, California, etc., which said map embraces lands in the Township of Pleasanton, County of Alameda, State of California, and which said map said party is about to offer for filing [illegible] to dedicate to the public certain parcels of ground for public streets, avenues, ways, etc., now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by this Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, that it does not accept said streets, roads, avenues, etc., as shown upon aforesaid map as County roads, and be it further

RESOLVED that the Clerk be and he is hereby directed to endorse on said map the fact of such non-acceptance of said streets, avenues, roads, etc., as offered by said map.

On motion of Supervisor Bridge, seconded by Supervisor Foss, the resolution [illegible]

ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS AND PAY ROLL.

On motion of Supervisor Murphy, seconded by Supervisor Bridge, claims as shown by the Register of General Warrants, also Pay Roll, were ordered paid to the respective claimants in the sums and out of the funds designated.

GENERAL FUND, 1913-14.

Associated Charities of Oakland, $423.98; American Gasoline Company, $29.00, $29.00; H. E. Brunner, $17.25; J. A. Borkman, $1.50, Bowman Drug Company, $6.95; Broadwater & Company, $13.40; Barnum's Restaurant, $17.50; R. H. Butson, $5.00; W. J. Burns Detective Agency, $442.15; J. H. Cope, $5.00; William Cluff Company, $5.50; J. A. Clymer, $0.60; J. J. Collier, $15.50; M. J. Clark, $11.00; Dominican Sisters, $131.75; Detective Publ. Company, $60.00; Henry Dyke, $5.00; Excelsior Laundry Company, $40.00; Dr. H. W. Emerson, $15.00; Joe Ferry, $2.16; H. N. Gard Paper House, $7.20; Charles Graham; $5.00; P. A. Haviland, $15.20; O. D. Hamlin, $5.00, $5.00; Hurd & Eggers, $13.70, $10.80, $13.00, $8.00, $19.35, $12.10; E. H. Huebbe, $109.50; F. Iwasky, $3.00; D. T. Jones, $54.50; Myra Knox, $5.00, $5.00; A. S. Kelly, $3.00; Kracke-Brunje, $12.50; Don Lee, $1.25; J. B. Lanktree, $470.00; H. Light, $5.00, Monarch Oil Refining Company, $20.75; Moise-Klinkner Company, $0.57; J. T. Moran, $18.60, Osgood's Drug Stores, $7.87, $0.80; Oakland Enquirer Publishing Company, $78.35; Oakland Wire Works, $10.00; Pacific Gas & Electric Company, $0.30; Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, $17.45, $31.57, $24.95, $19.05; E. R. Patterson, $10.00; G. G. Reinle, $5.00, $5.00, $15.00, $15.00; John C. Rohan, $9.75, $9.75; Ralph Richmond, $5.00, A. B. Richter & Company, $10.81; Standard Oil Company, $24.86, $18.00, $18.00; William D. Smith, $4.10; E. J. Sweeney, $7.50; Service Garage Company, $137.15; S. I. Shuey, $5.00; E. H. Sherman, $75.00; Smith Brothers, $0.50, $0.99, $4.44, $4.25, $2.16, $1.05, Charles Tisdale, $13.50; Charles E. Taylor, $15.69; James Taylor Company, Inc., $75.00; C. H. Wever, $5.00, $5.00; C. H. Wentz, $2.00, Western Electric Company, $4.20; Wells Fargo & [illegible]

GENERAL FUND, 1912-13.

Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, $69.64.

INFIRMARY FUND, 1913-14.

Associated Charities of Oakland, $400.00; H. Arendt & Company, $22.00; Bowman Drug Company, $7.05, $24.94; Bernhard & Erickson, $17.70; Bauvais & Lewis, $11.00; Cooper's Grocery, $30.20; J. A. Clymer, $6.50; William Cabral, $12.00, $5.00, William Cluff Company, $3.45, Cogorno & Adams, $3.00; Chinn-Beretta Optical Company, $3.75; [illegible] Cemetery Association, $10.00, E. James Finney, $24.00, $10.00, L. Freitas & Company, $10.00; P. C. Frederick, $7.67, J. M. Flack Company, $2.50, N. Gallagher & Sons, $4.00, R. J. Gavin, $2.90; J. E. Greaney & Company, $1.50; Lockwood-Rochedale Company, $11.00, J. B. Lanktree, $69.70, $84.80, $55.75, George Macdonald, $21.00, J. McDermott & Sons, $58.20; G. Magerstaedt, $10.00; McBroom Brothers, $30.00; M. H. Marks $57.00, Nielsen & Anderson Company, $27.00, C. Hadlon, $14.[illegible]; Thomas Hill, $170; Highland Wood & Coal Yard, $9.50, Jameson & Niehaus, $10.00; Kirwin & Wilton, $7.65; Osgood's Drug Stores, $0.50, $1.92, $3.71; Oakland Ambulance Company, $6.00; E. J. Parker, $5.50, A. B. Richter & Company, $2.55, $23.98; Joe Smith, $24.00; St. Mary's Cemetery $5.00, Sunset View Cemetery Association $30.00, I. Tobriner, $9.70, $69.35, $27.64, $49.40; Whelan Brothers, $2.00, $17.00; W. D. Wolfe $2.00. Total, $1445.34.

EXPOSITION FUND, 1913-1914.

M. G. Callaghan, $46.50; Paul Goldsmith, $60.05, $52.70; Moise-Klinkner Company, $0.30; W. D. Nichols, $65.70, $22.65; Remington Typewriter Company, $1.48; Smith Brothers, $.98. Total, $250.36.

EXPOSITION FUND, 1912-13.

Wells Fargo Company, $1.10.

PALOMARES ROAD DISTRICT, 1913-14.

California Corrugated Culvert Company, $2.81.

SAN LORENZO ROAD DISTRICT, 1913-14.

Nissen Brothers, $922.70; [illegible] Stone, $47.70, $214.45, $217.95, $63.91; Standard Oil Company, $7.50. Total, $1422.21.

RECESS UNTIL FRIDAY.

No further business appearing, the board took a recess until Friday, December 26, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 26, 1913.

Pursuant to the recess taken, the board reconvened at 10 o'clock a. m. On the call of the roll the following were present:

Supervisors Bridge, Foss, Murphy, and Chairman Mullins—4.

Absent—Supervisor Kelley—1.

ADJOURNMENT.

No business appearing, the board adjourned until Monday December 29, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

JOHN F. MULLINS, Chairman.

ATTEST

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

By H. M. WILSON, Deputy Clerk.

OFFICIAL RECORDS

December 27, 1913.

DEEDS.

J P Barracks [illegible] F N Barracks admr est of M Cummings (deed)—Nov 22-13, lots 9 and 10 and the SE ½ lot 8 mp of the Searles tct, Ala Co; $10.

L Rabbitt (wdw) to M B and Hattie B Owen (share and share alike)—Dec 24-13, lots 78 and 81 mp of the Academy Hd, Oakd, gift.

J H Neal to I M and M J Wentworth (wf)—Dec 12-13, NE East 24th st 125 ft NW 13th ave NW 75xNE 150 being ptn blk 150 [illegible], Oakd; subj to mtg $4000; $7500.

Wickham Havens Inc (cptn) to M B Henderson (wf of E J)—Dec 23-13; lots 7 and 12 mp resub of lots 18 to 27 inc of mp of Crocker tct, Pdmt, subj to r of way for sewer and con; $10.

W and F W Havens (wf) to same—Dec 17-13; all those ptns of lots 8 and 12 mp resub of lots 18 to 27 inc of mp of Crocker tct Pdmt, which lie W of ln dra par to W bdy (subj to r of way for sewer) lns of sd lots 6 and 13 and dist at ra 28 ft E therefrom. $10.

The Realty Syn (cptn) to C J LeNeir—Oct 16-13; com at pt in N bdy ln of lot 5 block D dist N 76 degs 05 mins W 125 ft fm W ln Pleasant Valley ave on mp of amd mp of Fairview tct th N 13 degs 55 mins W 100 ft to S bdy lot 2, blk D th N 76 degs 05 mins W 8.17 ft to SW bdy blk D th N 41 degs 10 mins W 169.6 ft to SE ln Sunnyside ave th NE 5.40 ft to N bdy lot 5 th S 76 degs 05 mins E 145.56 ft to com being ptns lots 2, 3, 4 and 5 in blk D, mp amd mp Fairview tct, Pdmt; $10.

C A to L M Bridgford—Dec 23-13; S Pala ave 295.63 ft E Vernal ave E 50xS 110 being lot 100 mp amd mp Alta Piedmont tct, Pdmt; $10.

G M to S E Grant (wf)—Dec 24-13; lots 219 and 210 mp Stone Orchard Stonehurst, Oakd; gift.

P and J W Fry (wf) to E Maitre—Dec 15-13, Q C deed; lot 25 mp Grand Ave Park tct, Oakd, $10.

S and T Lerer (wf) to E Maitre—Dec 22-13; lot 24 mp afsd; $10.

C S Coggeshell to the Prest-O-Lite Co Inc (cptn)—Nov 29-13, Q C deed; NW Watts and 45th sts (Wallace st) N 158 by W 125 being lots 10, 11 and 12 and the S 38 ft of lot 9 blk 3 mp of ptn of Coggeshell tct, W of San Pablo ave Emeryville; $10.

F Coggeshell to same—Nov 11-13; Q C deed; NW Watts and 45th (Wallace) sts N 158x W 125 being lots 10, 11 and 12 and the S 38 ft lot 9 blk 3 mp afsd; $10.

J M and J Anderson (hus) to E N Leach (wdw)—Dec 24-13; SE 10th and Chestnut sts S 93xE 70 being ptn blks 545 B's mp, Oakd; subj to mtg $10,000; $10.

G L and K L Fitz (wf), by atty to S J Shuey—Dec 26-13; W Adeline st 90 ft S 19th st, S 30xW 108 being lot 22 mp subn of the Surryhne tct, Oakd; $1.

W J Doyle (sgl) to J W Wright—Dec 26-13, lot 14 blk B mp East 14th st Villa tct, Oakd; $10.

E E Volz (sgl) to T Winters (wdw)—Dec 20-13; N Laurel st 225 ft W Grove st W 25xN 100, being W ½ of lot 22 in blk M, mp W F Kelsey's tct, Oakd; subj to mtg $1400; $10.

Greater Oakd Co (cp'n) to A Carleton—Dec 15-13, lot 9 mp Greater Oakd Co tct No 1, Oakd; $10.

H and Celina D Spring (wf) to C M Lansten (wdw)—Dec 22-13; lot 2 blk 23 mp of blks 20 to 24 Thousand Oaks, Oakd tp; D and Agt. $10.

J Lemon (sgl) to M J Nichol (wf of F H)—May 28-13; lot 9 blk 6 mp Northbrae, Bkly; subj to con [illegible] 1773D103; $10.

F E Wilber (wdr) to G S Carpenter—Dec 20-13; W Page st 133.71 ft S Santa Clara ave S 35xW 105 ptn lot 17 to 28 inc in blk 1, mp of the Brower tct, Ala, subj to enc $2500 and deed tr $987.25; $10.

E A and J C Howlett (hus) to H W and G O Hobbs (wf)—Dec 24-13; E Court st 74.5 ft S Lincoln ave S 31.4 E 77-6¾ N 31.4 W 77-6½ to beg, being ptn lot 61 blk B, mp subn mp of Sather and Robinson tct, Ala; $10.

E Salz, Inc (cptn) and D J Millar (sgl) to J C Dahl—Dec 5-13; lot 15 blk 11 mp Mowry-Millar addtn to Newark, Wash'n tp; $10.

R B and J Mott (wf) to L F Mott—Oct 11-13, beg on NE ln Co rd Irvington to San Jose (Co rd 397) at intrn with W cor of the 139.60 acre tct convyd to Huguera th N 77¼ degs E 40.45 chs m-l to W bndy of Sacre parcel convyd to Novo 1563D430; th S 12 degs 45 mins E 8.21 chs m-l to S bndy of the 139.60 acre tct [illegible] th S 77¼ degs W 25.86 chs m-l to sd ln [illegible] acres m-l and being ptn Rcho Agua Caliente, exceptg strip alg N side sd prem being ptn of proposed co rd 4201 convyd to Ala Co; 1407-D21; and also exceptg ptn sd prme included in r of way of C P R R Co; $10.

RECONVEYANCES.

A L Harris, tr Central Bank (cptn) to A and J J Fry (wf)—Dec 26-13; 1548D314; N Orange ave 175 ft E Oakland ave (Walsworth) E 60 m-l to intrn with ln drdg lots 22 and 23 blk B th N 56 m-l to SE ln [illegible] of way of Piedmont Cable Co, th SW 75 m-l to pt dist 131.5 ft NE fm SE ln sd r of way at intrn with E ln Oakland ave, th SE 60 m-l to com, being ptns lots 19, 20 and 22 in blk B, mp lds of Cold View Hd Assn, ptn of Walsworth tct of 100 acres, Oakd; $8000.

Kroll and Goddard, trs F G McKibben to A Carleton—Nov 25-13; 2150D83; lots 102 and 103 mp Greater Oakd Co tct No 1, Oakd, $1560.

First Tr and Svgs Bank (cptn), tr the Realty Syn (cptn) to R E Veall and B Veall—Dec 22-13; 1716D375; lot 37 and the E 5 ft lot 38, [illegible] Oakd, $950.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

A and S Carleton (hus) to Kroll and Snook, trs A and H C Snook—Dec 22-13, lots 102 and 104 mp Greater Oak Co tct No 1, Oakd; $1750.

A and J J Fry (wf) to Carlston and Harris trs Central Svgs Bank (cptn)—Dec 26-13, same as A L Harris trs etc to A Fry, Oakd; $7000.

A and S Carlston (hus) to Koenig and Kroll, trs F Klatt—Dec 15-13, lot 9 mp Greater Oakd Co tct No 1 Oakd; $1790.

[illegible] to Bkly Bk of Svgs and Tr Co (cptn) tr S wf of J A Minasian—Dec 24-13, same as rel mtg Bkly Bk Svgs and Tr Co to N L Francis, Bkly; $5000.

MORTGAGES.

E and L Maitre (wf) to J M Bellante—Dec 22-13, lots 24 and 25 mp Grand Ave Park tct, Oakd; $477 1 yr 6 per cent.

M H Snook (wdw) to C P Williams (sgl)—Dec 24-13; same as rel mtg L P Williams to M H Snook, Oakd, $1750 1 yr 7 per cent.

H R Barker to S B Williams and G L Allen—Dec 11-13; lot 6 blk 6 mp Fairview park, Bkly; $2750 1 yr 7 per cent.

J R and J C Mayhew (wf) to J M Scotchler—Dec 19-13, lot 7 mp Key Route Station tct, Bkly; $2400 3 yrs 7 per cent.

A E and M E Hanson (wf) to Bkly Bk Svgs and Tr Co (cptn)—Dec 16-13; lot 19 mp Mt View tct, Bkly; $500.

F Bliven (wdw) to L L Beachboard—Dec 19-13; same as rel mtg Univ Svgs Bk to F Bliven, Bkly; $1700 1 yr 7 per cent.

F Burton to L M Locke—Dec 24-13; lot 82 mp of the Nevis tct, Pleasanton; $300.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE.

L P Williams to M H Snook (wdw)—Dec 22-13; 815M408, E Pdmt ave 140.67 ft N Moss ave sd pt being also 70 ft S fm S ln Pdmt Villa tct th E 100 S 30 W 100 N 30 to beg, Oakd, $1750.

Bkly Bk of Svgs and Tr Co (cptn) to N L and G Francis (hus)—Dec 24-13; 1007M[illegible]; W Shattuck ave 40 ft S Delaware st W 100.05 S 100.05 S 37.76 E 97.30 to W ln Shattuck ave, th N 37.85 to beg being lot 6 blk 5 Stuart st N 44-10 x E 120 being ptn lot 2 blk C mp southern ptn of Blake est, Bkly; $2500.

Univ Svgs Bk (cptn) to F Bliven (wdw)—Dec 22-13; 892M471; S Haste at 86.3 ft E Grove st E 38.7 x S 50 being ptn lots 19 and 20 blk 6 mp and mp of blks 5 and 6 Barker tct, Bkly, $800.

Bkly Bk of Svgs and Tr Co (cptn) to J L and M J Moran (wf)—Dec 26-13; 873M242; lot 24 blk B mp of Leviston tct, Bkly, $900.

PARTIAL RELEASE MORTGAGES.

Bkly Bk Svgs and Tr Co (cptn) to J H and C D Spring (wf)—Dec 23-13; 997M444; lots 18 and 20 in blk 18 mp Northbrae, Bkly.

Same to J H and C D Spring (wf) and Thousands Oaks (cptn)—Dec 23-13, 955M294; 973M274; lots 1 and 2 blk 4 mp Thousand Oaks, Oakd tp.

E E Keyes to J R Bush—Aug 29-13; 996M466, lots 60, 61 and 68 mp ppty of Capital Hd Assn, Oakd.

MARGINAL RELEASES.

S B Williams to H R Barker (sgl)—857M316; lot 6 blk 6 mp Fairview park, Bkly; $2,750.

LIENS.

Hogan Lbr Co (cptn) to M McNeill—Dec 27-13, NE East 14th st and 9th ave N 90 x E 45 Oakland; $709.02.

ATTACHMENTS.

G F Street vs C M and E J Lindblad (wf)—Dec 26-13, standing in name of C M Lindblad 1st lot 12 blk 415 mp Oakd bd 2d E 35 ft of lot 3 blk 937 mp Keller Rose tct Oakd 2d lots 3 and 4 blk 518 in Santa Clara ave tct Oakd; $207.25 No 36197 Just Ct Oak tp.

Eveleth Nash Co (cptn) vs D Gunn—Dec 26-13, standing in name of D A Gunn E 43 ft m-l of lot 17 blk 3-2986 Cragmont, Bkly; $125.50 No 64141 Jus Ct S F.

NOTICE OF SALE.

W H Hoffman to S H Kendall and Sons—Dec 27-13; cer fruit business 1969 Eagle ave Ala, sale Jan 2-14.

J W Williams to J W Williams Bicycle Co (cptn)—Dec 27-13; cer bicycle business 2517 Bdwy, Oakd; sale Jan 2-14.

DECLARATION HOMESTEAD.

J W hus of M E Wright—Dec 26-13, lot 14 blk B mp East 14th st Villa tct Oakd; $1500.

NOTICE OF ACTION.

E A Kelley vs W H and I C Robinson H J Quinn S I Langmaid E A Janssen W E Dean A Cords and J Doe et al—Notice of action to fc 1046M139; W Ayala ave 132.53 ft N fm E ln Hermann st N 64 W 97 to E ln Hermann st, th S 71.42 E 65.40 to beg being ptn lots 84 and 84½ in blk I mp amd mp of blks G and I of V P Resn tct Temescal, Oakd; Sup Ct Ala Co.

ASSIGNMENT.

Title Ins and Guar Co to Treasurer of State of Cal—Dec 26-13; assgmt mtgs as guar fund for benefit of holders of ins policies 1st made by W C Clark and wf Jun 2-10; 938M153; N Garber st 553-6 ft E Pdmt ave E 61-6 x N 102.5 being all lot 12 blk D mp ppty of Bkly Hd Assn Bkly; 2d made by J B Mallery wdr May 14-11; 958M411; $2500; W Fulton st 135 ft N Dwight way N 50 x W 150 being ptn lot 4 blk 3 mp ppty of College Hd Assn Oakd; $4000.

Breed and Bancroft (cptn) to W F Raffetto—Dec 24-13; assgmt deeds of tr made by E M Marquis and G are with SW ln Santa Rita st, th NW 35.56 SW 120 E Marquis wf as fols 1st 1991D463; intrn NW ln 42d SE 51.94 NE 121.11 to beg bing ptn lot 26 blk 8 mp Steinway ter Oakd; 2d 2099D13; $1500; lot 44 blk 8 mp Steinway ter Oakd; 2d 2099D13; $1500; lot 44 blk 9 mp Steinway ter, Oakd; 3d 2099D253, $1500; lot 42 blk 9 mp afsd; 5th 2152D284; $1500; lot 3 blk 9 mp afsd; 6th 2163D498; $1500; lot 22 blk 10 mp afsd; 7th 2194D20; $1500; SW 40 ft lot 20 blk 4 mp afsd; the Oakd Bk of Svgs cptn as tr hereby conveyed all int under above deeds of tr to G W Austin and A V Long as sub trs; $10,500.

MISCELLANEOUS.

[illegible] E Enassen esq—Sept 22-13; power of atty as representative in all matters connected with est of M E Perry deed probate No 11214 Sup Ct Ala Co.

K to T Hill—Dec 26-13; power of atty, general.

M S Sellers vs G J Wiser—Dec 27-13; agst judmt $299.99 and $114 int and $8 costs No 24306 Jus Ct Oakd tp.

R E Felton to W M Goodnight—Sept 1-09; receipt for sum of $.85 for redemption of sale No 3 1908 Melrose San'tary dist No 2 taxes sold to R B Felton and assessed agst lots 8 9 and 10 in blk M Frale Blvd tct in name of B K Miller.

W A J Franke—Dec 27-13; U S Fidelity and Guar Co cptn as surety; $5000.

T Tierney—Dec 26-13; notary bond same as above: $5000.

SUPERVISORS SET DATE OF INFIRMARY PLAN DECISION

Will Decide Monday Whether City Hospital Is to Be Constructed

Whether the proposed county infirmary will contain hospital and infirmary on the present site, or hospital within the city of Oakland, will be decided Monday. A spirited debate on the matter took place today at the session of the Board of Supervisors, when the plans were argued at length. Several tiffs enlivened the proceedings.

Supervisor Fred Foss brought up the matter, stating that, to his mind, there should be a division of the two.

"I have been on record, and will go on record again, as favoring the hospital and infirmary as originally planned. We have the architect's plans. We have an under two heads. We have 129 acres of land, partly self-sustaining. We have a fine ambulance now. I see no reason for changing my mind."

"The plans are only tentative," said Foss. "We want to get this down to a working basis. We are both honest in our convictions, but differ. I think the present site is a long way out of the center of population, where our sick come from. It is hard to ask our physicians to go all that way, without pay to aid the poor. Public assistance should be where it is needed, and that is in the center of population.

OBJECTS TO ASSOCIATIONS.

"It is not conducive to the best interests of a sick patient to take him or her into the depressing influence of the poorhouse. Friends cannot visit them out there. This is something society owes the poor.

"The present hospital site will be within the city limits of Oakland in two years," said Murphy.

"Let's get action," said Bridge. "No matter what site you select in Oakland, it will cause a protest. The segregation project killed the issue last election. The tax association will fight the segregation plan. You can't beat this opposition."

"They are looking at it from the money viewpoint," said Foss.

"That may be, but they will fight, anyhow," said Bridge.

"There's nothing to do but let the architect go ahead," said Murphy. "He has a contract to do so."

"Murphy is an acrobat," said Kelley. "He is turning a somersault. He wanted delay a minute ago."

"I'm not turning a somersault," said Murphy. "I want to keep the board from turning one. They've ordered one thing. Now they can't go back on it."

"The civic organizations disagree," said Chairman Mullins. "I would not vote either way until I knew how the people felt. I want to await reports of the Civic Association, Tax Association and clubs."

ARCHITECT NEEDS DATA.

"What Mr. Weeks, the architect, must know," said Assistant District Attorney Leon Clark, "is what kind of hospital you want out there before he can finish his plans."

"The most important thing to start on is the infirmary," said Bridge. "It is in to the county. There are places there not fit for a dog. Poor, old unfortunates are sleeping in cold basements and carriage houses. Let's get something started there right away. Then we can talk about a city hospital."

"I agree that the infirmary is the most important thing in the institution," said Murphy.

"Why not have used the money spent for highway bonds?" asked Kelley.

"Mr. Kelley is not sincere now," said Murphy. [illegible] slap at the bond purchase."

"The infirmary now is a disgrace to the county," said Foss, "and the people, I think, should vote on the matter. Let's 'go to the bat' and put up a fireproof building out there. I think the people want us to."

"I'm not fighting a city hospital," said Bridge. "But give us one out there first."

The matter will be taken up as a special order of business Monday on motion of Supervisor Bridge.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The damage awarded to H. E. C. [illegible]suler for land needed in the Vallecit road district work was voted to be set at $500, an addition of about $200 to the award made by the board of arbitration. This settles the matter.

G. H. Pierce was named supervisor of county squirrel extermination in the place of S. S. Irish, who resigned.

CONTEST RATIFIED.

The contract between the Panama-Pacific Exposition and the county for space to be used in 1915 in the state building, was returned, signed, and ordered filed.

A report was made that the eight lights ordered on recommendation of Supervisor W. B. Bridge for East street, near Hayward, will be installed next month.

TO ABANDON ROAD.

On the report of viewers the abandonment of Rose street, Newark, was ordered. The viewers decided that the road was disused. About 500 feet of road were affected.

TO REPAIR BRIDGE.

A report on Bay Farm Island Bridge was made by County Surveyor P. A. Haviland. Bad piles at different points were described, and, according to the engineer immediate repairs are needed.

"Piles under the bridge-tender's house are eaten away," said the report. Haviland says that the bridge is in an unsafe condition, shakes when the span is swung, that the toredo, or wood worm, has played havoc with supports to the structure, and that ironwork is rusted. He urged new creosoted piles at once, with proper bracing and adjustment.

"I have noticed this condition for some time," said Supervisor Bridge. "The danger is grave. The bridge-tender's house swings like a rocking chair in the wind. Let us repair it at once."

The matter was referred to the bridge committee for immediate action.

Brewton A. Hayne of Berkeley asked appointment as special attorney to fight the Spring Valley Water Company judgment. He asked a retaining fee of $250 and contingent fee of $1250 in case of victory. Foss asked that the matter be considered.

"I don't want to force an attorney on the district attorney's office," said Bridge. "The district attorney says he doesn't want it. He has twelve or fifteen men now."

"Well," said Foss, "the district attorney says we can't win. This man says we have a chance. Let's try him, then."

"I have confidence in the district attorney," said Chairman Mullins. The matter was referred to the committee of the whole.

The board will meet in San Francisco Wednesday with the State Highway Commission, to discuss the proposed "experimental road." Supervisor Foss made the appointment.

M. O'Shea was made nurse and S. Yast orderly at the county infirmary.

The proposal of the California Development Board to make an industrial survey of the county was referred to the committee of the whole.

That the Park street bridge is in need of repairs was reported by Supervisor Bridge. Repairs will be ordered, these being of a minor nature.

LICENSES GRANTED.

C. H. Christensen and E. A. Moran, Altamont, and Antone Mello, Alvarado, were granted saloon licenses.

Assessment correction was ordered on the property of S. A. McKee, Oakland.

PRECINCTS DESCRIBED.

Election precinct specifications for county elections, with special reference at this time to the county infirmary, and water district elections, were filed by County Surveyor P. A. Haviland.

COURTROOM ROOF LEAKS.

Superior Judge W. H. Waste asked that a roof leak was damaging carpets in his courtroom. This was ordered repaired.

Friday was set as the day to canvas tomorrow's Alameda county water district election.

WASHINGTON STREET TRACKING BID MADE

The San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railways this morning bid $3500 for the building of the tracks in Washington street between Fourteenth street and San Pablo avenue, for the routing of San Pablo and Grove street cars down Washington street. The date for receiving bids for the lease of the tracks for a period of ten years was set for January 6, when the same corporation will bid a similar amount for the lease. The action is in accordance with the agreement reached two weks ago between representatives of the corporation and the municipality.

WILL EXPLOIT OAKLAND WHILE IN NEW YORK

but he is at present in New York attending to business interests. A letter was received this morning by Secretary Dennison stating that many of the Easterners he has come in contact with are in ignorance as to the advantages of California, especially Oakland. In his letter Holmes said that Los Angeles seems to be better known in the East than San Francisco. Holmes concluded by asking that some literature be sent him that he could exploit the possibilities of Oakland. His wish will be gratified, several pounds of literature in regard to Oakland being sent out by this morning's mail.

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FOUND—In the corridor of Oakland post office, two umbrellas, fur neck piece. Call at room 2.

FOUND—Monogram watch fob. Owner identify it at 1800 5th st.

FOUND—Bulldog, male. Phone Piedmont 1922.

LOST—Box with 2 ladies' hats and some silverware on road bet. Irvington and Berkeley. Return 1735 Virginia st., Berkeley; reward.

LOST—Christmas day, between Hayward and Moss avenue, Oakland, leather and mica windshield for small auto; reward. Phillips, 556 Woodland nr Moss.

LOST—a photograph, bet. Hawthorne, 40th st. and 2360 Waverly, lady's striped skirt and plain jacket waist. Address 2360 Waverly; reward.

LOST—Lady's bracelet with scroll and initials "E. M. A."; reward, notify agent O., A. & E. Ry. Piedmont 870.

LOST—On 27th st., bet. Grove and Adeline, fraternity emblem; reward. Phone Oakland 6620.

LOST—In Oakland last Sunday, an umbrella marked M. E. H.; reward. Address M. E. H., Mt. Eden, Cal.

LOST—Dec. 15, gold brooch, removable green stone setting; reward. Lakeside 1048.

LOST—Wednesday, brown Shepherd dog, white breast; license No. 3032; liberal reward. Phone Pied. 3557, apt. 15.

LOST—White bull pup, 8 mos. old; leather collar, brass trimmings and lock; reward. 1534 5th ave.; Merritt 3727.

LOST—Brown leather bill book, between 14th and Franklin, Broadway and 10th st. Oak. Finder return to Tribune office and receive reward.

LOST—Gold watch, Friday, between Lake Merritt station and Oakland Tribune bldg. Finder please return to Tribune office

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AA—Two and 3-room apts., completely and newly furnished; sun all day; warm, comfortable; phone, hot bath; block to cars. 784 35th st., at West.

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1, 2, 3 rooms; all newly furnished. 2351 San Pablo ave.

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Owen Apts. 21st and Harrison Bd. Ph. Lakeside 1032
Under new management; only convenient apt. in Oakland; fire and quake proof; new and everything modern; everything furnished; $32.50 to $70.

Just Opened **Oak-Lodge** 1497 Oak St. Ph. Oak. 1901.
Luxuriously furnished apts., 2-3 rooms, with sleeping porches; convenience, taste, location, lake view; inspection invited.

OAK PARK Just completed; 8th st., near Oak—2, 3-rm. apts., all modern conveniences; near S. P. and Key Route; 5 min. walk to Bdwy.; prices reasonable. Ph. Lakeside 2504.

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WILHELM. 721 16th; apts.; $22.50 up.
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[illegible]rn, sunny 1, 2 and 3 room; all [illegible] of home. 642 25th st.; Oak. 217.

[illegible] VIEW APTS., 9th and Madison [illegible] Oak. 5069—Modern 3-room furn. apts., $25 and up.

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[illegible], fireproof, sound-proof building [illegible] completed; 2, 3 and 4 rooms and [illegible] with bath; every modern con-[illegible]

[illegible] room; 2 blocks from Key [illegible] S. P. 1461 Alice st.; phone Lakeside 2975.

[illegible] Apartments
[illegible]; strictly modern 2-rm. furn. [illegible] st.; phone Oakland 1776.

[illegible] apts. with wall beds, [illegible]; separate entrances; [illegible] furnished with [illegible] ave. car line, two [illegible] Key Route; [illegible]. Phone Piedmont [illegible].

Column 9

APARTMENTS TO LET
(Continued)

STRATFORD APTS.
Just completed, 2 and 3 rooms, furnished and unfurnished. 25th-Telegraph.

Three-room unfurnished apartment; 2 blocks to all local trains.

Bermuda Apartments
1519 Alice st.

THREE sunny front rooms; steam heat and bath. 800 14th st.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT,
THE LAKE.
Furnished apartments; Oakland's exclusive residence district, 24th and Vernon; near Key Route station; rent reasonable.

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On Lake Merritt; 2 and 3-room apts. with sleeping porch, completely furn. [illegible] Lake st.; phone Lakeside 3914.

1817 BRUSH ST.—Elegantly furnished 2 and 3 rooms; close in.

HOTELS

Hotel Carlton
[illegible] at the foot of the Berkeley hills, convenient to Key Route and S. P. trains; 40 min. to S. F.; Telegraph ave. cars pass hotel. Miss May Jenkins, manager.

METROPOLE HOTEL, 13th and Jefferson—Steam heat, hot and cold water, sunny rooms, bath; American plan, $40 mo. up; European plan, $15 mo. up.

HOUSES AND ROOMS
WANTED

TEACHER wants rm. and board or small apt.; C. S. family pref. Box 436, Trib.

WANTED—To rent [illegible] 2 or 3-room bungalow or cottage with yard; must be good neighborhood and reasonable; Alameda preferred. Box 1222, Tribune.

WANTED—3 rooms, furnished flat or cottage in Oakland; permanent; by a quiet, respectable German-American engineer and wife; references. Address Box 470, Oakland Tribune.

WANTED—Flats, cottages, houses and stores on our list. Is yours listed with us? We write fire insurance. Alameda County Realty Co., 519 Syndicate Bldg.

WANTED—3 connecting housekeeping rooms; not over $20. Box 1245, Tribune.

STORES AND OFFICES

BEAUTIFUL NEW STORE, College and Shafter aves.; corner; ideal location for hardware or other business; rent cheap; best location in Oakland. M. D. Nicnols, on premises. Phone Pied. 906.

FRONT window desk room; ground floor, single occupancy. Tel. 502 16th st.

I HAVE a light and airy office, centrally located; want to let one-half to reliable party who would bear an equitable part of the expense of rent, phone and stenographer. Box 465, Tribune.

STORES formerly occupied by Goldberg-Bowen, 13th and Clay, Oakland, are being remodeled; modern fronts installed; prospective tenants can have own ideas incorporated. Apply at once to Hugo Abrahamson, 13th and Washington.

STORES for rent, 16th and Grove sts. Phone Merritt 2700.

HORSES AND VEHICLES

BROADWAY HORSE MARKET—Has good stock of horses and mares; reasonable; also some 2d-hand harness. 220 Broadway; phone Oakland 3702.

CARLOAD mares and mules always on hand; also buggies, wagons, harness, carts, saddles; bought, sold or exchanged. Oak. Salesyard 4th at Clay.

CALIF. & OREGON LIVESTOCK CO., 121 Franklin st.; have a barn full of good horses at bargain counter prices.

HORSE and buggy wanted; must be reasonable. 802 Broadway.

LIGHT covered wagon, horse, harness. 1207 Hopkins st., Berkeley.

$50—GOOD horse, harness and buggy, complete. Call 826 23d ave.; Mer. 3729.

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

A FEW choice Belgian does and bucks for sale. 909 Adeline st.

BABY chicks, white leghorns, Jan. 2. Wilson hatchery, 5824 E 14th; Elm. 213.

FOR SALE—One big pair of thoroughbred Plymouth Rock pullets, prize stock and one pair Black Minorca pullets and some table chickens; 4 thoroughbred Plymouth Rock cockerels, 1 Buff Orpington cockerel, 1 Houdan cockerel. 2471 Persimmon st., Fruitvale.

FOR SALE—One hundred pullets 8 mo. old, and four does one year old. 2126 62d ave.

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AA—STERNBERG Pleating and Button Co. — Pleating, buttons, buttonholes, hemstitching; most modern methods. Sherman-Clay Bldg.; phone Oak 1422.

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A—Dr. Card Diseases of women. Regular graduate physician; formerly 517 23d st., Oakland; 7 years in Oakland and San Francisco. Low fees; consultation free and strictly confidential. 412 Westbank Bldg., 830 Market st., S. F.; hours, 10 to 6.

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GLOBE AND RUTGERS FIRE INSURANCE CO. of New York; prompt attention to your business; large sprinkler risks a specialty. 519 Syndicate Building. Phone Oakland 2061.

Column 10

REAL ESTATE

SYNDICATE 6s to highest bidder, one or more shares; cash; no trade. Box 1289, Tribune.

HAYWARD REAL ESTATE

A DANDY 4-ACRE TRACT
At Hayward; fine for garden, fruits and vegetables or profitable chicken ranch; all newly fenced and water piped; ready for immediate use; price $3200, and might exchange for house in Oakland. For choice buys see
THE ALAMEDA COUNTY REALTY CO.,
519 Syndicate bldg.
(126)

ELMHURST REAL ESTATE

A LARGE corner lot, $275 cash. 1003 Carlton st., West Berkeley.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Peach orchard in Suisun valley; no better land in California; no adobe or alkali, all level, 27 32 acres, 1500 Alberta, Lovell and Muir peach trees, age 6, 7 and 9 years; a few cherry, prune, almond and English walnut [illegible] W. M. Brorson, Suisun City, Cal.

GOVERNMENT LANDS.
Use your government right; land on railroad, $2.25 per acre, $1.25 down, balance four years; investigate this. O. E. Jacobson, 1721 Telegraph ave., Oakland.

GO to Napa Valley Realty Co. for bargains. 1278 Market st., S. F.

Irrigated Farms to Suit
10, 20 or 40 acres, San Joaquin valley; choice alfalfa and fruit land with inexhaustible water supply [illegible] pumps. Deep, rich soil, big crops, easy payments. Write for booklet.
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1202 Chronicle Bldg., San Francisco, Cal.

REDUCED TO $165 PER ACRE.
Valley land, Sonoma county, 40 miles from here; one mile station; near school; good for fruit, vegetables, chickens, etc.; 5 acres or more; 1-5 down; easy terms; no interest first year; prepare now for a home later. A. F. Conrett, owner, room 27, 1128 Broadway, Oakland.

WE ARE INSTRUCTED TO LEASE 160 acres of fine level land, very fertile, but unimproved; water from pumping plant, and immediate possession can be had; will grow anything and get a crop quick; lease for three years can be made. See
THE ALAMEDA COUNTY REALTY CO.,
519 Syndicate bldg.
(124)

45 ACRES; 8-room house; well; Sacramento river front; in alfalfa. Address Grand Island, Colusa Co.

HOUSES FOR SALE

A BARGAIN for cash, a beautiful corner; Linda Vista; 9-r. house, bath, sleeping porch, garage. Box 1237, Trib.

BARGAIN—Beautiful new 7-room house, 546 Valle Vista ave.; finest house in the district. Take Grand ave. car, get off at Elwood st.; Fedt Bros., phone Piedmont 1341 after 6 p. m.

FOR SALE—Modern 8-room house; 2 baths, large sleeping porch, furnace, garage; lot 112x155 feet; exclusive residential district; owner going East; will sell completely furnished if desired. Phone Piedmont 4972.

HERE IS A BARGAIN.
A large 9-room two-story house; all in good condition; 2 grates; large dining-room; built-in buffet; 5 bedrooms; modern; bath; hot and cold water; large lot, 50x125; plenty room for driveway and garage; this house, built for owner at about $6500, but owing to business removals will sell at a quick reduction. Someone will save over $1000 by seeing
ALAMEDA COUNTY REALTY CO.,
519 Syndicate bldg.
(301)

HANDSOMELY finished bungalows 5 and 6 rooms; sleeping porches; artistic inside; garage entrance; iron gates; ready to move into; positively cannot be beat; take College ave. car to 5926 Taft ave.; 12 min. 14th and Bdwy.; close to Key Route and cars.

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There is a new modern 5-room and sleeping porch bungalow, in airy and healthy location; 10 minutes from city hall. This is waiting for some one. Should be $5000, but it can be had for $4400, and on reasonable and easy terms. Come in and let us consult together at 519 Syndicate bldg.
ALAMEDA COUNTY REALTY CO.,
(253)

$30 MONTH, including interest; $199 down; $2750; new 6-room modern cottage and garage; all improvements; lot 35x120; near local and cars. Owner, Elmhurst 979.

ROOMING HOUSES
FOR SALE

GOOD PAYING well furn. 14 rm. house; garage; hkpg.; rent $35; lease; $150 cash, balance time. Box 471, Tribune.

12 ROOMS, within 3 min. walk of Broadway, all rented; shows large profits; lease; also 33 rooms on Washington st. Mitchell, 1017 Clay.

ROOMING HOUSES
TO LET

MODERN 18-room lodging house; centrally located at Richmond; hot and cold water in each room; will be completed about Jan. 15, rent $75; long lease. Owner, 858 16th st., Oakland.

LOTS FOR SALE

BROADMOOR lot 80x125; block to depot; $1350; best buy in Broadmoor. Frank Bullard, 1925 17th ave.; Merritt 1060.

CORNER lot, frontage 92x148 ft; Lerida and Santa Ray, East Pied. Heights. Owner, 56 11th st., Oak. 4445.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE

A SNAP in Rogue river valley, Oregon, 200 acres best apple land, all under cultivation; price $150 per acre; 1-3 cash; exchange or terms balance. Address M. M., P. O. Box 33, Oakland, Cal.

EQUITY IN LOT AS FIRST PAY'MT. WILL take lot or equity in lot as first payment on a new 2-story modern 6-room house with sleeping porch; cement exterior; very attractive; one-half block Lake Shore car line; balance monthly installments. Box 1258, Tribune.

FOR EXCHANGE — New bungalows, houses, country land. Roberts, 1605 Telegraph ave.; phone Oakland 263.

IF you want your property sold or exchanged place it with a live agency; list it with us. Murry & McCarl, 1715 Telegraph ave.; phone Oakland 3504.

WILL trade Colorado gold mining property for Oakland lots or residence property. Address F., 4342 Evans ave., Oakland.

WILL exchange my automobile for good bay or close-in country property; must give description. Box 400, Tribune.

WILL exchange lots or house and lot for auto and pay difference in cash. Phone Alameda 2446.

35 ACRES near Fresno; alfalfa land, clear; trade for house in Oakland. Blank & Raisch, 1518 Broadway; phone Oakland 1070.

160 ACRES near Livermore; sell or trade all or part. Blanch & Raisch, 1518 Broadway; phone Oakland 1070.

TO LEASE

[illegible] furnished house in Linda Vista, of 9 rooms, bath, sleeping porch, garage. Box 1238, Trib.

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Column 11

PROPERTY WANTED

BROADWAY.
I have about $3000 and would like to buy a snap on Broadway, north of 40th st. If necessary I can raise more money and pay all cash for any good buy; no agents. Address 3956 Greenwood avenue, Oakland.

IF you are unable to meet the payments on your property I will buy your equity; must be cheap; must give description. Box 531, Tribune.

I WANT the best 5-room modern bungalow that $500 and $30 a month will buy. Box 446, Tribune.

WANTED—A buyer for your house; the same persons who advertise in this column READ every adv. under "Houses For Sale"; is YOURS there?

WANT 8-room house and bungalow for bldg. lots. Box 325, Tribune.

3 TO 5 acres unimproved in foothills back of Fruitvale. Box 410 Tribune.

AUTOMOBILES

A PEERLESS 7-passenger touring car, has just been rebuilt and repainted; tires good; extra tire and rim; in excellent mechanical condition; looks like new; at a remarkably low figure; also a Stoddard-Dayton 59 special touring [illegible] bargain; will consider real estate in exchange.
H. O. Harrison Co., 2418 Broadway.

A—Our "MARVELASTIC PROCESS" is the only four-day process that can be guaranteed.
Used by us exclusively.
New Process Auto Painting Co., Inc., 2500 Broadway, Oakland; Lakeside 163.

CHALMERS 30, 4 pass. pony tonneau; [illegible] Grand ave., Pied.

ONE underslung Regal; A1 condition; cheap for cash; no trade. 3101 Fruitvale ave.

OVERLAND, 1911, climb any mountain road, good condition, sacrifice $200; no trade. Box 1291, Tribune.

PUT an ELECTRIC HORN on your automobile and stop worrying over your old bulb horn; price $3 with push button and 10 feet of wire. Imperial Garage, 1440 Webster st., Oakland.

Snaps in Used Cars

Studebaker "20"	$400.00
Studebaker "25"	550.00
Krit	300.00
Moon	600.00

All in fine condition.
Mathewson Motor Co.
Successors to Studebaker Bros. Co., 12th and Jackson sts., Oakland, Cal.

TRADE '13 roadster and 5-pass. for lots or house. Box 305, Tribune.

WANTED—Work for a new 2 ton truck; $10 per day; make body to suit. Box 5701, Tribune.

MONEY LOANED ON AUTOS

Loans on Automobiles
217 Bacon Bldg.; phone Oakland 5942.

MONEY TO LOAN ON AUTOS; STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. MUTUAL FINANCE CO., RM. 206 BACON BLDG.

BICYCLES, MOTORCYCLES

BICYCLES—$3 down, $1.25 week; Overland or Sterling, roller chain, coaster-brake; guaranteed 1 year. Williams, 2517 Broadway; phone Oakland 801.

SEE KOHL'S SNAPS. Used bicycles, $8 up; motorcycles, Indian (7), $140, Thor (7), $175. 22d and San Pablo.

THOR for sale cheap; in good condition; fully equipped. Pied. 127.

1914 POPE motobike, just arrived; most useful Xmas present. Oakland Cycle & Motor Co., 1720 San Pablo.

GARAGES FOR RENT

ATTENTION—Garage men; will sell, lease or build garage; lot 60x150 ft; Webster nr. 14th st. Box 1236, Tribune.

GASOLINE ENGINES

THREE-H. P. engine, $90; 5-H. P. engine, $155. Waddell, the pump man. 1014 Franklin; Oak. 4653, auto service.

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A— PHILIP M. WALSH, Attorney-at-Law, rooms 501-502, the Oakland Bank of Savings Bldg., 12th and Broadway, Oakland, Cal.; office phone Oakland 3032; residence phone Piedmont 3016.

A. A. MOORE, Attorney-at-Law, 15 2d st., San Francisco.

AA—T. L. CHRISTIANSON, Attorney-at-Law, 200-3 Pantages Bldg.; Lakeside 121.

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AA—STORAGE HAULED FREE.
FURNITURE MOVING A SPECIALTY.
Concrete Warehouse; it can't burn.
Baggage checked at your home.
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BEKINS—Packing, moving, storing HH. goods, etc.; long distance moving by auto. 1130 Broadway; phone Oakland 907.

PIONEER expert moving, packing; long distance moving by autos; storage wanted, cartage free. 2011 28th ave. [illegible]

STORAGE Cook-Morgan Co., 509 14th; Oakland 8235.

DETECTIVES

WESTERN Detective Agency, 200-202 Lick Bldg., 25 Montgomery st., S. F. All branches detective work done.

JUNK

HIGHEST price paid for rags, household goods, etc.; orders promptly attended. 438 6th st.; phone Oakland 1781.

Column 12

FOR SALE
MISCELLANEOUS

AA—ELEGANT upright grand piano; mahogany; Geo. Steck & Son; cost $650 will take $375; beautiful tone, perfect condition; also fine collection pianola music. 734 35th st.

ALL sizes second-hand pipe; best quality standard water pipe, screw casing; guar., good as new; prompt shipments. Weissbaum Pipe Wks., 133 11th st., S. F.

All Men's Hats $1.50
M. & M. Hat Works, 257 12th, near Alice.

A VICTOR phonograph in good order, with 40 records; $5 takes it. 3026 Baker st., Berkeley.

AN English setter dog 5 years old; broken for hunting. 1547 24th ave.

BOSTON terriers, pedigreed English bulls, cocker spaniels, daschounds, French poodles, bull terriers; reasonable. 1911 Franklin st.

BEAUTIFUL collection of Tahiti shells, cheap. Lake Merritt Apts., apt. 7.

COWS, some fresh and some coming fresh, all young and gentle; 2 heifers, 1 bull 1½ years old; will sell cheap for quick sale. 522 Judah st., near 11th ave.; take car No. 6 at ferry, San Francisco.

[illegible] cheap; excellent [illegible] waterback. 2003 Filbert.

COUNTER, suitable for real estate office or store; cheap. At 1529 Broadway.

FIRE WOOD, stove or grate length, $3.50 per load sidewalk delivery, $4 put inside. Bay Wrecking Co., Alameda marsh. Phone Lakeside 252.

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FOR typewriter bargains see Oakland Typewriter Exchange, 1435 Broadway.

POOL and billiard tables, lowest price; easy terms. 5115 Grove st., Oakland.

RESTAURANT fixtures for sale; snap if sold this week. Box 1717, Tribune.

SECOND-HAND trunks bought and sold; auto trunks, sample cases made to order; repairing. 769 17th; Lakeside 2952.

SECOND-HAND lumber, brick; all kinds building material; plumbing, windows, doors. Union Wrkg. Co., 36th San Pab.

WARDROBE TRUNKS cut to 45 inches in length to comply with railroad rules. Oakland Trunk Factory; Oakland 3581.

Xmas Jewelry $1 Week Your credit is good for watches, diamonds, jewels, etc. Western Jewelry Co., rooms 14-15, Bacon Bldg.; phone Oak. 3613. Our representative will call. Open until 10 o'clock every night.

YOU are only one of many reading this column. Have you anything to exchange for money or goods? Are you advertising it?

WANTED
MISCELLANEOUS.

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BUYER for classy 5 pass. 1912 light touring car, fine order, very cheap; no trades. Phone Merritt 2745.

BEST prices for men's suits. J. Muller, 530 8th; phone Oakland 6457.

BUILDINGS wanted to wreck. Reliable Wrecking Co.; Oak. 7952; or Pied. 1851.

CANDYMAKER'S tools; give lowest price, and what you have. Box 440, Tribune.

DIAMONDS WANTED any size, we will pay spot cash; no delay or publicity in our transactions; we have private offices. California Loan Office, California's largest pawnbrokers. 835 Broadway, S.W. corner 9th st., Oakland.

DIAMONDS and old gold bought. Room 811, 704 Market st.; H. Stellpflug.

FURNITURE wanted; we give you more for your furniture and household goods than you can get elsewhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1007 Clay st.; Oak. 4671; 911 Phelan Bldg., S. F.; Douglas 641.

KIST will pay you more for your second-hand furniture than anybody. 432 10th st.; phone Oakland 3787.

SELL your cast-off clothing, etc., to me; I pay the price. Oakland 5421. William Wallace.

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ACCURATE shorthand, typewriting; priv. classes, refined surround., simple meth., speed dict'n., certified instr'n.; est. 13 y. Ilsen Shorth'd. Inst., 529 12th, nr. Wash.

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VIOLIN STUDIO, Max Lercher, instructor, 818 44th st.; ph Pied 145. Mrs F. Lercher, voice culture and piano.

"WIRELESS"
Learn "Morse" and "Wireless" telegraphy; experienced operator; aerial practice. 1829 Alice st.; phone Oakland 6878.

DANCING

McCOWN'S private dancing academy, 212 12th st.—Hard and soft shoe dancing, tangos, one-step, hesitation waltz, three-step; song, gesture. Phone Oakland 6403.

MISS WRIGHT'S Dancing Class opens Jan. 3d at 431 12th st. Lakeside 1240.

STELLA MACDONALD—Dancing class, Blake Hall, Sats., 2 p. m.; Merritt 4757.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

A FINE tone upright piano with stool; only $50. 1911 San Pablo ave.

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PIANOS renovated throughout, restrung and new actions put in; cases remodeled; tuning, repairing and regulating; 30 years' experience; ref. from leading musicians; estimates free; will pay cash for good second-hand piano. [illegible] 1820 Walnut st., Berkeley; phone Berkeley 2631.

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Column 13

MONEY TO LOAN
REAL ESTATE

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$250 to $50,000 promptly
On Your Real Estate,
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I HAVE READY MONEY ALWAYS.
E. H. LOHMANN
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MONEY TO LOAN
In Any Amount
At 6% and 7%
On Approved Real Estate.
Laymance Real Estate Co.
1432-1434 BROADWAY,
OAKLAND.

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TEACHERS MEET IN BIG CONVENTION

Discuss Methods of Education as Applied in Modern Schools.

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FRICK SPEAKS.

County Superintendent of Schools Frick called to order the afternoon session. He said, in part:

"It is a very genuine pleasure for me to call to order the C. S. A. and the Alameda County Teachers in this progressive city of Oakland. The keynote of this association meeting from start to finish is to be "ethics" rather than "educational." Six months ago a committee of educated people, of which I was chairman, went to Salt Lake City under the auspices of the Oakland Commercial Club, to secure for the city of Oakland the International Congress of Education and the National Education Association meeting, in conjunction with the Exposition in 1915.

I hope that every one of us present realizes the importance and magnitude of this great gathering which we will have in our city at that time and I am sure that a co-operative spirit which shall develop and grow through the year, and culminate in an educational meeting of unprecedented importance to our city and state. We should send a big delegation to the meeting of the N. E. A. at St. Paul next July to give them an impression of what we expect to do in the way of hospitality in 1915. I want to express my personal appreciation of the untiring work of the executive committee of the Oakland Teachers' Club in preparing for a big civic banquet to be given at the Hotel Oakland next Tuesday evening, and also that I have been assured and feel encouraged by the hearty co-operative spirit displayed by the teachers of the county. Hoping that we may have a profitable and splendid session, I will proceed with the program."

LADS UNDER ARREST FOR WRONGFULLY USING AUTO

Cyril Mitze, 16 years of age, and Clarence Brown, 18 years of age, were arrested last night by Patrolman Burbank, at Bay Place and Harrison street, and have been charged with having taken an automobile belonging to Mrs. L. Kennedy, 380 Belleview avenue, without the owner's permission. They drove the machine about the streets for a short time and then abandoned it. The two have been certified to the juvenile court for trial.

NO FEDERAL QUESTION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Congressional investigation of the Calumet Copper Mine strike was discussed at informal conferences between members of the House Rules Committee today, and individual expressions indicated that those present agreed that no federal question was involved.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE.

I, the undersigned, have sold the stock and fixtures located at 4151 E. 14th st., Oakland, Cal., and all outstanding bills must be presented at 566 Williams st., Oakland, Cal., on or before Jan. 3, 1914.

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MANY HOLD-UPS BUT LITTLE LOOT

Robbery and Violence Continues Unchecked in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Hold-ups accompanied by violence occurred with much frequency in different parts of the city early this morning, but very little loot was obtained from the several victims.

William C. Morgan of 507 Octavia street was stopped at Second and Mission streets by two footpads, who took his watch, knife, ring and pin.

[illegible] of 1826 Eddy street, a half block from his home. One of them felled him with a blow on the jaw and his pocket was then ransacked of $14. James J. Kelly of 1146 Mission street was robbed by a lone highwayman at the corner of Geary and Wood streets and robbed of $26 and a watch.

A late customer who secreted himself in a closet was locked in when the saloon of Cluter & Reagon, at 361 Kearny street, was closed early [illegible] caped through a side entrance, taking $3 which was left for change in the cash register.

BERKELEY CHURCH RAISES MORTGAGE

First Presbyterian to Celebrate Completion of $30,500 Fund Campaign.

BERKELEY, Dec. 29.—After raising money at the rate of more than $1000 a month, the congregation of the First Presbyterian church heard with gratification yesterday that the church mortgage of $30,500 had been secured within $1100. Within half an hour more the congregation had pledged this $1100 and had made plans for a celebration Wednesday night of the lifting of the church mortgage. The celebration will be held at the church and will include the burning of the mortgage by the pastor, Rev. L. A. McAfee. The church was built a little over two and a half years ago and a mortgage placed upon it to run for a term of twenty-five months. This term is up at midnight Wednesday. A special program of music, addresses and the burning of the mortgage is being arranged for the celebration.

L. A. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ACTIVE

Bulletin Shows Membership of 3339; Bureau of Information Well Supported.

A bulletin just issued by the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce shows that that organization has a membership of 3339. A bureau of information has just recently been organized, which is allowed $20,000 a month for its maintenance, an annual expense of $240,000. The money is raised by subscription, 200 members of the organization contributing each month $100 for a period of one year.

The local chamber has a membership of 1600. A continuous membership campaign which is now being waged is every day augmenting the ranks of the local body and it is optimistically predicted that during the coming twelve months the Oakland membership will be as strong if not stronger than the southerners.

BERKELEY ELKS WILL LINE UP STRONG TEAM

The followers of the Berkeley Elks are jubilant over the announcement that Al Hiester and Fred Brown, members of the college town lodge, and former stars of the Sacramento Coast Leaguers, will be in the Berkeley line-up for the big game against the Alameda Elks at the State league park next Sunday afternoon.

Brown will again assume the role of pitcher, while Hiester, who is a versatile player, will be used to plug up any weak position in his team's line-up.

The college town aggregation contains players of more than ordinary merit. McKee, McFarland, McCoy, Grimmelman, Nelson, Whitham, Thompson being well known in the semi-pro ranks, and with Hiester and Brown to complete the team, the Berkeleyans will present a formidable line-up to battle with the Alameda Elks' all-star aggregation.

GRANT W. P. FRANCHISE NINETY-DAY EXTENSION

In accordance with the agreement reached at the recent conference between city officials, officials of the Western Pacific railroad and the Commercial Club harbor committee, the city council today limited the extension of time on the Western Pacific franchise grant with regard to the making of certain improvements to ninety days instead of granting a twelve-year extension, as was at first proposed. The extension of ninety days is granted by ordinance, and had to be put through speedily, as the old franchise demands that the work in question, which has not been commenced, must be completed by January 8. In the ninety-day extension granted the matter of the longer extension of time will be considered by the commercial organizations of Oakland.

COUNCIL TO REFUND LICENSE MONEY PRORATA

The city council decided today that a portion of the license money shall be refunded to those saloon keepers who volup their licenses January 1, in cases where the term of the license already paid for extends beyond January 1. In such cases the balance of the license will be pro-rated and a proportionate sum be returned to the man going out of business.

Several small technical changes are being made by amendment in the new liquor ordinance and this provision will be included among these. Other amendments are concerned with defining hotels, and providing concerning the presence of minors, and the area of protest against license locations.

OAKLAND PRODUCE MARKET STEADIER

Butter Falls Off One-Half Cent, While Fancy and Pullet Eggs Advance.

Butter fell off a half a cent today. The market is fairly firm. Fancy and pullet eggs both climbed up 1 cent. The market is steady and will probably advance further. Cheese was unchanged and steady.

Official quotations of Armour & Co. today follow:

Butter—Fancy, 32c per pound.

Eggs—Fancy, 48c; pullets, 44c; rurals, 37c; California storage, 29c; eastern, 36c.

Cheese—California, 19c per lb; Young America, 17½c per lb.

[illegible] quotations of Hunt, Hatch & Co., follow:

Oranges—Fancy navels, $2.50@2.75; choice, $2@2.25; standard, $1.50@2.

Apples, per box—Newtown Pippins, 4-tier, $1.50@1.75; do 4½-tier, $1@125; bellflower, 3½-tier, $1.15; Ben Davis, $1.35@1.75.

Strawberries—Per chest, $4.50@5.

Cranberries—Cape Cod, per bbl, $11@12; New Jersey late red, per bbl, $13@14; Cape Cod, per box, $2.25@2.50.

Bananas—4@5c per lb.

Lemons—Per box, Standard, $3.50@4.50; choice, [illegible]

Grapefruit—Seedless, $2.75@3.

Pomegranates—Per box, 50@60c; large per lb.

LOCAL VEGETABLES.

Official quotations of Hunt, Hatch & Co. follow:

Potatoes—Per ctl.: Delta Whites, 85c@$1; do fancy, $1.05@1.10; Salinas, $1.85@2; Oregon Burbanks, $1.35@1.50; sweet, $1@1.35.

Onions—Per ctl.: Silverskins, $2@2.15.

Tomatoes—25@75c per box; do southern, per crate, 50c@$1.

String Beans—5@7c per lb; lima, 5@6c per lb.

Summer Squash—Per box, 75c@$1.25.

Carrots—Per sack, 60@75c.

Celery—Per dozen bunches, 30@40c.

Cucumbers—Per box, 75c@$1.25.

BOY CUSTODIAN OF SLAIN MAN

Given Charge of Trunk Which Contained Body of Victim.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A trunk containing the body of a man who had been bound hand and foot and murdered, was dumped out of a push-cart in the heart of the East Side today and left in the gutter. The body was still warm.

"Look out for this trunk and we will pay you when we come back," said one of the two men who led the cart to Samuel Trable, an 18-year-old resident of Pitt street. The boy watched it for half an hour then told a policeman.

The murdered man was about 40 years of age and emaciated. The lower part of his face was muffled in a red bandana handkerchief by which the police believed he had been smothered. The body had been doubled up and packed in the trunk with a covering of straw.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR LATE MRS. E. SWALLEY

The funeral of Mrs. Effie Swalley, who died Saturday at her home, 577 Angar street, was held this afternoon from the late residence. Rev. A. J. Kennedy, pastor of the Fourth Congregational Church, presided at the services, which were attended by a host of friends of deceased.

Mrs. Swalley, who had resided in Oakland for 27 years, was the widow of Daniel Swalley and mother of Mrs. Edna Selby, Mrs. Leland S. Brown, Mrs. Loring Cleaves, J. J. Mottell, H. M. and A. C. Swalley. Deceased was a native of Ohio and 61 years of age.

COUNTRY CLUB TO CELEBRATE NEW YEAR

The Claremont Country Club will be the scene of one of the largest of the New Year celebrations, when the members will welcome the advent of 1914 with mirth and jollity. There will be the usual dinner for which a number have arranged large parties and this will be followed by the dance which will continue well on into the new year after the joyous greeting.

The Hotel Oakland will also be a center for many of the smart set on New Year's Eve, tables having been engaged for the supper and a participation in the merrymaking at the stroke of twelve.

LANE TO WITHDRAW ALL RADIUM-BEARING LANDS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Secretary Lane proposes to withdraw all lands of the public domain suspected of containing radium, that these precious deposits may be secured for the general good and not become the subject of private speculation.

Lane outlined his plan today in a letter to Chairman Foster of the House Mines Committee, urging immediate passage of a joint Congressional resolution to empower President Wilson to make the withdrawal.

MOTORCYCLE RIDER FINED AS SPEEDER

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Emil Gulhaim was fined $20 by Police Judge Shortall this morning for driving his motorcycle at a high rate of speed down Market street yesterday.

In the same department, Julius Wahlgethen was sentenced to ten days, each in the county jail on two charges of driving a delivery wagon in reckless fashion.

ARRAIGNED FOR HAVING MINOR IN POOL ROOM

Ben F. Belt, proprietor of a poolroom at 5501 Telegraph avenue, arraigned in police court No. 2 this morning on a charge of having permitted Perry Mathepiace, in violation of the city ordinance. The boy was arrested for entering the place. It is probable that the city council will cancel the poolroom license.

MEETINGS OF PROTEST.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Five meetings of protest by labor men against the attack on Charles H. Moyer at Calumet were scheduled today by John H. Walker, president of the Illinois Federation of Labor. At his hospital Moyer was said to be resting easy with no signs of complications developing.

STOCK MARKET DOWNWARD COURSE

Renewed European Selling of Canadian Pacific Is Factor.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Development of weak spots gave the stock market a downward course today. Traders who took the short side attacked vulnerable issues with vigor.

Renewed European selling of Canadian Pacific was one of the principal factors in depressing prices and the loss in this stock was extended to more than three points. Weakness in New Haven tended to unsettle the market for a time.

Marking up of copper metal prices here and the advance in quotations abroad stimulated the copper stocks temporarily, but these shares later became affected by the heaviness of the remainder of the list. The recession [illegible]

Reading, U. P. and Steel lost 1.

Bonds were irregular.

The upward movement faltered when professional selling stopped at midday. Canadian Pacific rallied 2 points and Texas Company showed some sympathy with the boom in Standard Oil subsidiaries.

Prices slipped back again after the immediate requirements of the shorts had been filled. Reading and New Haven reached their lowest on the setback.

The market closed steadier. Much of the bear selling during the day was predicated upon the expected rise in money rates. Call money reached 6 per cent before its tendency [illegible]

New Haven to 2½ points below its best was followed by a final stiffening of prices.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE
J. C. Wilson & Co., Stockbrokers.

Morning Session, Monday, December 29.

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

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Cal Gas and Elec Gen M C T 5s	..	100
Do unifying 5s	91¾	..
Contra Costa Water Co 5s	..	100
Los Angeles Gas & Elec Co 5s	98	98¾
Los Angeles Railway 5s	..	105
L A Pacific R R 1st con mtg 5s	100¼	101
Natomas Consolidated of Cal 6s	45	..
Omnibus Cable Railway 6s	78	..
Oro Electric Corp 6s	64½	..
Pacific Gas and Electric Co 5s	84⅛	..
Pacific Electric Railway Co 5s	100	100½
Pacific Tel and Tel Co 5s	96	96½
Sacramento Elec Gas and Ry 5s	99¾	101
San Joaquin Light and Power 5s	..	99
S P R R of Cal 1st c gtd 5s	105	..
S P Branch Railway of Cal 6s	118½	..
S P R R Co 1st refunding 4s	88	89¾
S V Water Co gen mtg 4s	89¼	89¾
United Railroads of S F 4s	51¾	52½

WATER STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Spring Valley Water Co	51¾	53

INSURANCE STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Fireman's Fund	228½	231
Pacific Coast Casualty Co	..	87½

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Anglo and L P National Bank	142½	..

SAVINGS BANKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Mutual Savings Bank	93	..

POWDER STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Giant Consolidated Co	85	..

SUGAR STOCKS

	Bid.	Asked.
Hawaiian Coml and Sugar Co	21	24

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co	38½	39¼
Union Oil Co of Cal	56	..

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

	Bid.	Asked.
Alaska Packers' Association	69¾	..
Cal Wine Association pfd	80½	84
Pacific Tel and Tel pfd	88	90

MORNING SALES.

1000 Pacific Telephone 5s 96⅛
2000 Cal Gas and Elec unifying 5s 91⅝
40 0 United Railroads 4s 52
1000 Spring Valley Water 4s 89¼
100 Pacific Telephone pfd (s 10) 88½
25 Fireman's Fund Insurance Co 229½

AFTERNOON SALES—DEC. 29.

4 California Gas unifying 5s 91⅝
10 Pacific Telephone 96⅞
.1 S P R R Co 1st refunding 4s 89⅝

MINING STOCKS
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CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

COMSTOCK.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ophir	17	18	Belcher	35	..
Mexican	1.15	1.17½	Sierra Nevada	11	..
Gould & Curry	03	..	Utah	..	04
Best & Belch	05	..	Exchequer	02	..
Con Virginia	12	13	Sec Belcher	10	..
Savage	11	..	Overman	..	50
Chollar	..	04	Union	..	13
Potosi	02	..	Julia	04	..
Hale & Norc	..	10	Caledonia	1.32½	1.35
Crown Point	..	45	Silver Hill	..	12
Yellow Jacket	..	..	Mexican	70	..
Con Imperial	02	04	Andes	01	..
Kentuck	04	..	Scorpion	..	05

TONOPAH.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Montana	27	..	Mizpah Extn	27	..
Tonopah Ex	1.85	..	Cash Boy	07	..
MacNamara	08	..	Tono Merger	53	54
Midway	7.12½	..	Mon Pits Ex	06	..
Belmont	7.87½	..	Halifax	1.22½	..
North Star	38	39	Unarilla	01	..
West End	1.30	..	Gipsy Queen	03	04
Rescue Consol.	03	10			

GOLDFIELD.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Gold Consol	1.42½	..	Great Bend	..	03
Sandstorm	08	..	Florence	25	..
Columbia Mt	..	02	Diamfld R B	..	02
Jumbo Extn	13	..	Con Fraction	05	..
Booth	02	..	Gold Kewanas	02	..
Rice Bull	02	03	Red Hills	..	02
Silver Pick	03	..	Yellow Tiger	01	02
C O D	03	..	Grandma	01	..
Lone Star	01	..	Merger Mines	10	11
Ore	07	08	Diamfld Daisy	..	02
Atlanta	13	14			

CALIFORNIA.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Argonaut	92½	..	Cent Eureka	..	36

BULLFROG.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Bonnie Clare	..	02			

MANHATTAN.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Manh Con	03	..	Bonter W Caps	..	07

OTHER DISTRICTS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Round Mt	..	38	Pitts S Peak	..	38
Nevada Hills	40	..	Fairview G Bldr	02	..

SALES.

200 Ophir 18 2000 Merger Mines 10
100 Mexican 1.17½ 1000 Atlanta 13
100 Belcher 55 3000 Do 14

LOS ANGELES OIL EXCHANGE.
(Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co.)

Morning Session, Monday, December 29.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Amalg Oil	73.74	77.00	Maricopa No.	05	06
Assoc Oil	38.25	39.50	Midway Nor.	12	..
Brookshire	19	..	Nat'l Pacific	01	..
Cal Midway	04	09	Olinda Land	27	37
Central	..	85	Rice Ranch	89	1.05
Columbia	..	80	Traders	20.00	..
Continental	..	10	Union	58.00	59.00
Enos	..	05	Do Prfd	67.00	75.00
Euclid	..	10	United Petm	68.00	75.00
Fullerton	2.50	3.50	United Oil	11.25	12.75
Globe	01	..	West Coast	85.00	95.00
Jade	04	07	West Union	65.00	85.00

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE—OIL.

Morning Session, Monday, December 29.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Brookshire	25	..	Pac States Pt	..	15
Claremont	12	25	Paraffine	..	..
Coal Centl	20	..	Pyramid	..	04
Coalinga Mnk	70	..	Republic	15	..
Ill Crude	02	03	S W & B	10	..
Monte Cristo	80	..	Turner	2.25	..
New Pa Pet	15	..	Wolverine	75	95
Pac Crude	25	..	W K Oil Co	35	..

BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Butter—Fancy creamery, 32c; seconds, 29½c.

Eggs—Fancy ranch, 48c; store, 44c.

Cheese—New, 16½@19c; Young Americas, 15@17½c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Butter—Receipts, 4100 tubs; steady; creamery extras, 36½@37½c; firsts, 28@34c; held extras, 32@33c; firsts, 28@31c; process extras, 24@25c.

Cheese—Receipts, 700 boxes; firm; state whole milk, held, specials, 17c; average fancy, 16½@16¾c; fresh specials, 16¼@16½c.

Eggs—Receipts, 8600 cases; firm; fresh gathered extras, 38½@39c; extra firsts, 37@38c; firsts, 36@36½c; refrigerator, special marks, [illegible] henery whites, 48@50c; gathered whites, 47@48c.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 22@36c.

Eggs—Market steady; receipts 3,347 cases; at mark, cases included, 27@32c; ordinary firsts, 30@30½c; firsts, 32½c.

Cheese—Market steady; daisies, 16@16½c; twins, 15¾@16c; Americas, 15¾@16c; long horns, 16½@16¾c.

ELGIN, Ill., Dec. 29.—Butter—Firm, 35½c.

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WHEAT RALLIES ON CHICAGO MART

Opens Unchanged to 3-8 Lower but Losses Overcome on Commission Buying.

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Commission buying brought about a rally today in wheat. The opening was unchanged to ⅜c lower, but the first price all overcome.

The close was firm, ¼@⅜c net higher.

Predictions of colder weather put firmness into corn. Prices started at ¼c off to ¼c up and then went above Saturday night's level. The close was strong, at an advance of ⅝c to 2⅛c net.

Cash corn—New, No. 2, 64@67c; No. 2 white, 65@68c; No. 2 yellow, 64@69c; No. 3, 61½@62½c; No. 3 white, 63@66½c; No. 4 [illegible]

Oats reflected the action of corn.

First sales of provisions varied from a shade to 10c higher.

Closing quotations were as follows:

Wheat—May, 90⅝c; July, 87c.

Corn—December, 70½c; May, 68⅝c.

Oats—May, 41c; July, 40¼c.

Pork—May, $20.67½.

Lard—January, $10.65; May, $11.

Ribs—January, $10.70; May, $11.02½.

Barley—Cash, 50@70c.

Timothy—Cash, $4@5.40.

Clover—Cash, $12.25@15.25.

WEATHER FORECAST

Oakland and vicinity—Rain tonight and Tuesday; brisk to high southeast wind.

Southern California—Cloudy tonight; Tuesday probably rain; light southwest wind.

Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys—Rain tonight and Tuesday; brisk southerly wind.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The quotations today were as follows:

WHEAT—PER BUSHEL.

Option—	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
December	$ .87⅝	$ .89	$ .87⅝	$ .88⅞
May	.90	.90⅝	.89¾	.90⅝
July	.86⅝	.89	.86⅛	.87

CORN—PER BUSHEL.

December	.68¼	.70¼	.68	.70¼
May	.68	.68¾	.67¾	.68¾
July	.67½	.68¼	.67⅛	.68¼

OATS—PER BUSHEL.

December	.38¼	.38⅝	.38¼	.38⅝
May	.40¾	.41	.40¼	.41
July	.39⅝	.40¼	.39⅝	.40¼

PORK—PER BARREL.

January	.....	.....	.....	.....
May	20.65	20.67½	20.52½	20.67½

LARD—PER 100 LBS.

January	10.62	10.65	10.60	10.65
May	10.97½	11.00	10.92½	11.00
December	.....	.....	.....	10.55

SHORT RIBS—PER 100 LBS.

January	10.65	10.70	10.62½	10.70
May	10.97½	11.02½	10.92½	11.02½

SUGAR MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Raw sugar steady; Muscovado, 2.62@2.73c; centrifugal, 3.12@3.23c; molasses, 2.37@2.48c; refined, quiet; cut loaf, 5.50c; crushed, 5.20c; mould A, 4.85c; cubes, 4.40c; XXXX powdered, 4.30c; powdered, 4.25c; fine granulated, 4.15c; diamond "a," 4.15c; confectioners' "a," 4.05c; No. 1, 4.05c.

BROKEN BOTTLE; RED WINE; "VICTIM" SCARED

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—A pool of red, slowly enlarging on the sidewalk at his feet, frightened Joseph Eyraud, 3015 Alhambra street, more than his fall into an open sidewalk door at First and Spring streets today. He glanced at the pool and almost fainted.

"I'm badly hurt," he yelled to Patrolman W. H. Thompson, who had seen Eyraud fall and was hurrying to his assistance.

"I am afraid you are bleeding to death," the officer said after a hasty glance at the crimson pool. Then he picked up the victim, who had almost collapsed, and carried him to a near drug store.

"Here is a man almost killed," said the officer to the drug clerk. "He is bleeding to death."

The clerk sniffed.

"Red wine—broken bottle," said the clerk.

Eyraud suddenly remembered he was taking home a bottle of wine.

"I guess I'm all right, officer," he said.

Then he hurriedly started home.

COSTLIEST TYPEWRITERS BOUGHT BY CINCINNATI

CINCINNATI, Dec. 29. — The Board of Elections of Cincinnati has introduced a new and important system for writing abstracts of election returns, which has attracted general attention because of its time saving over former methods. They have purchased for use in connection with this system two Monarch Adding and Subtracting Typewriters, which represent a money value of $4,940.00, or nearly $2,500.00 apiece, and are the costliest typewriters ever made.

Each of these machines is equipped for writing and adding thirty-two parallel columns of figures on one page. Each of these columns is aided by a separate adding mechanism, which explains the great cost of the machines.

These abstracts, which formerly required eight days in the writing, were after the recent election, written on these machines in less than two.

PRESSURE ON BRAIN IS CAUSE OF BOY'S ACTIONS

MORRISTOWN, Pa., Dec. 29.—Joseph Miskpwita, a boy living in Pottstown, practically was sentenced by Judge Solly to go to a hospital instead of a jail for a series of petty thefts. The boy will undergo an operation for the relief of pressure of the skull on the brain, which, according to physicians, causes an impairment of his mental faculties so that he habitually steals. His condition is due to a blow on the head with a club that he received when he was 6 years old. He is now nearly 18.

Assured that all he would have to pay would be $1 a day while the boy was in the university hospital, the father gave his consent to the operation.

PEANUT EATER IS NOW SEEKING NOBEL PRIZE

AURORA, Ill., Dec. 29.—Dr. Thos. J. Allen, former president of Aurora College, now of Eureka Springs, Ark., who gained notoriety by exhisting 60 days on an exclusive diet of peanuts, has filed his application with the president of the State University of Arkansas for the Nobel prize to be given in 1914 "for the most important discovery in physiology or medicine" made in 1913.

The discovery in question, Dr. Allen says, is that variation in feeding is the fundamental cause of premature senility, the redisposing cause of all disease, the essential physical factor in cancer and the essential cause of high infant mortality.

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Wheat—Firm; no trading; cash, $1.32½@1.35.

Barley—Firm; December, no sales; May, $1.32½ bid, $1.33½ asked; December, $1.15 bid, $1.22 asked; January, $1.28⅝ asked; cash, $1.30@1.32½.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

The following quotations of prices of stocks on the New York Stock Exchange are from J. C. Wilson, member of the New York Stock Exchange, with offices in the Mills building, Montgomery and Bush streets, San Francisco.

Sales	Stocks—	High.	Low.	Bid.	Ask.
.....	Am Agriculture	..	..	45½	47¾
.....	Do pfd	..	..	90½	91
36800	Amalg Copper	74⅞	73⅞	74¼	74⅜
6800	Am Can Co	30⅝	29½	29⅞	30
800	Do pfd	90	89½	88	89¾
300	Am Car & F Co.	44½	44¼	44	44¾
.....	Do pfd	..	..	111	114½
.....	Am Cotton Oil	..	..	36	38
.....	Do pfd	..	..	92½	95
400	Am Ice Securities	23¾	23¼	23	23½
600	Am Locomotive	31¾	31½	31¾	32
.....	Do pfd	..	..	96	98
600	Am Smelt & Rfg.	64½	64⅛	64	64⅜
.....	Do pfd	..	..	98¾	99¼
900	Am Sugar	108	107½	107	108
.....	Do pfd	..	..	112	115
1800	Am Tel & T Co.	123	122½	122¾	123¼
300	Am Tobacco	244	242	244	246
100	Do pfd new	102½	102½	101¾	102½
1200	Anaconda	35⅞	35¾	35¾	35¾
300	Bethlehem Steel	30	29⅞	29¾	30
500	Balt & Ohio	92½	91¾	92	92½
700	B R T	88¼	87¾	87¾	88¼
.....	Cal Petroleum	..	..	16½	17
.....	Do pfd	..	..	47	49½
31400	Canadian Pacific	206⅞	204	205¾	206
700	C & O	60½	60	60¼	60¾
.....	Do pfd	..	..	71¼	72¾
2100	C & N W	126½	125½	126½	126¾
.....	Do pfd	..	..	165	170
800	C M & St P	100¼	99⅝	99¾	100
200	Do pfd	140	139½	139¾	140
.....	Central of N J	..	..	285	320
900	Central Leather	27⅞	27⅛	27¼	27⅜
.....	Do pfd	..	..	94½	95½
4100	Chino Copper	40	39	39½	39¾
100	Colo Fuel & I	28¼	28¼	28	29
.....	Colo Southern	..	..	26	27
100	Do 1st pfd	60	60	58	64
.....	Con Gas	..	..	130	131½
500	Corn Products	9⅞	9¾	9¾	9⅞
.....	Do pfd	..	..	63½	67
.....	Del L & W	382	382	382	390
13400	Distill Securities	17½	17	17½	17⅝
200	Enamel & S	11½	11½	11¼	11½
.....	Do pfd	..	..	71	82
.....	Erie	28¾	28	27⅞	28⅜
.....	Do 1st pfd	44	44	43¾	44½
.....	Do 2d pfd	..	..	35	36½
500	Woolworth & Co.	92¼	92	91¾	92¼
.....	Do pfd	..	..	111	112½
1700	General Electric	140¾

HANS SCHMIDT TO KNOW FATE TODAY

Case Expected to Go to Jury This Afternoon; Murderer Near Collapse.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Hans Schmidt, murderer of Anna Aumuller, will probably know his fate late today. The case is expected to go to the jury this afternoon, and with the issue so plainly defined both sides believe that a verdict will be reached with little delay. N. M. K. Olcott, chief of Schmidt's counsel, expects a verdict of acquittal on the ground [illegible] confident of a conviction of murder in the first degree.

Schmidt was reported to be near collapse in his cell in the Tombs yesterday. Prison officials said that he was undoubtedly showing the strain of the ordeal of waiting for the jury's verdict today.

JAPANESE STARVING IN TWO PROVINCES

TOKIO, Dec. 29.—The Japanese in the provinces of Aomori and Hokkaido are suffering from the worst famine since 1869. On account of the failure of the crops and fisheries thousands of persons are starving.

Many parents are reported to be selling their daughters. Others are said to have been sold to foreign white slave dealers for shipment abroad.

There have been runs on many of the local banks and the Government intends to appropriate $3,000,000 for the relief of the banks and the starving peasantry.

CONTRIBUTES TO BIOGRAPHICAL FUND

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—John D. Rockefeller has given $10,000 toward a $65,000 fund for a new building which the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society is trying to raise before January 1. The total subscription up to today was $52,263. In the next two days the trustees and officers must get $12,737 more. If they fail they will lose the conditional gift of $10,000 from the late J. Pierpont Morgan.

PRODUCES X-RAY BY NEW METHOD

New Tube Controlled to Degree Undreamed of in Former Discovery.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A new method of producing the X-ray and controlling its administration was demonstrated, it was learned today, in the presence of scientists and medical authorities at a dinner here on Saturday night by William David Coolidge, electrical inventor of Schenectady, N. Y. Mr. Coolidge has been working in secret for three years and has perfected two tubes which he exhibited. It was stated that it will probably be a year or more before the invention is put into general use.

The new tube gives X-rays said to be of the most remarkable penetrating power and controlled to a degree undreamed of when Roentgen made his discovery. It utilizes the principle that certain metals, like platinum, when heated in a vacuum, give off a stream of charged particles.

With the aid of a powerful electric current these particles—or ions, as they are called by scientists—are driven against a Tungsten plate placed within the vacuum tube. They strike this and the X-ray is produced. The penetration of the rays depends upon the speed with which they are driven against the Tungsten plate. It was demonstrated, according to those present that rays were generated powerful enough to give a full treatment in fifteen seconds. The usual time is now fifteen minutes.

MAIL TRAIN HURLED IN DITCH; NO ONE HURT

BAKER, Or., Dec. 29.—A broken rail hurled the Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation Company's fast mail into the ditch between Haines and Baker yesterday morning.

The train ran for 200 rail lengths before coming to a stop and piled up along the track with every car standing on its trucks, except the diner, which went clear to its side. Not a passenger was either killed or injured. Some of the cars were left fifteen feet from the track.

ASK PROTECTION FOR POOR SKUNK

Animal of Great Economic Importance and Needs Conservation.

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — The skunk was today added to the list of natural resources which should be conserved or protected before exterminated, the Department of Agriculture classifying this animal as "of great economic importance" in a statement made public today, asks that it be given the same protection [illegible] bird slaughter.

'Some of the most destructive insects in agriculture are such as do their work below ground and out of reach of any method that the farmer can apply and it is against many of these that the skunk is an inveterate enemy," the statement asserts. "Notwithstanding all of this," it continues, "there is probably not an animal that is as ruthlessly slaughtered as [illegible]

FINDS SHIP HULL FORM SUBJECT TO CHANGES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—That the hull of a ship is subjected to considerable change of form due to variations in temperature has been developed by the recent experiments by Naval Constructor E. F. Smith, U. S. N. Using the naval colliers for his tests he found that some of the ships either sagged in the middle or "hogged" (meaning to drop at the ends) about one inch for every seven degrees change of temperature and the middle of the ship may move up and down as much as six inches with reference to the ends.

These experiments may throw considerable light upon the causes of the breaking of shafts due to their being thrown out of alignment.

NAVY COLOR TESTS FIND BLACK LEAST VISIBLE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Black is the color least visible at night, according to experiments just made by the army artillerymen on the Pacific Coast. The familiar ugly drab which has been for years the "war paint" of the American Navy, was shown to be the most visible of all the colors tested, one boat so painted having been frequently picked up and detected by the great searchlights at the entrance of Puget Sound as far off as 11,000 yards. One night this boat was visible at a distance of 17,000 yards.

It is expected that the Navy will take note of these experiments.

MISS GRANT GIVES FAIRY TALE MATINEE

Miss Vivian Grant gave a "Fairy Tale Matinee" for school children this week for the benefit of the Children's hospital. She told the stories of Wagner's wonderful opera, "Rhinegold," as a fairy tale. The story was illustrated with colored pictures. Miss Vivian Grant is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Grant of Berkeley and is well known as one of the younger musicians.

STRIKE GUARDS SHOT ON BRIDGE

One Man Killed and Another May Die From Wounds.

TRINIDAD, Colo., Dec. 29. — One man was killed and another probably fatally injured yesterday when strikers attacked guards of an Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad bridge, connecting mines at Radiant and Rockvale, in the strike district near here. One guard died from a bullet wound and the other fell from the bridge into an arroyo below.

The two men, Ernest W. Farmer, who was killed, and G. W. Libby, were guarding been recently constructed to replace one razed by fire two days after the strike began. Armed strikers, it was reported, approached the structure, carrying a can which later was found to contain coal oil. The guards ordered the strikers to stop, and their reply was a fusilade of shots.

Farmer was instantly killed, while Libbey, in attempting to run and return the fire, fell from the bridge, breaking an arm and suffering internal injuries.

The strikers ran from the bridge immediately after the shooting and upon the approach of a track walker, who discovered Farmer's body and aided Libbey.

The mines at Radiant had been operating with non-union miners since the strike began last September.

Governor Ammons has ordered a full investigation of the tragedy by the civil and military authorities.

FOREIGN BOOSTS FOR EXPOSITION

H. C. Hoover Says People Want to Exhibit at Panama-Pacific.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Dec. 29. — Although the German and British governments have refused to make appropriations for displays in the Panama-Pacific exposition, the people and the press of the two countries are working steadfastly to gain official participation in the world's exposition, says Herbert C. Hoover, Stanford '95, who has been spending the past few months in Europe, interesting the people abroad in the 1915 exposition.

Hoover is European advisor of the exposition and has been working hard for its success. He has just returned to the campus and is temporarily making his home in the residence of the late Professor Burt Estes Howard back of the Stanford campus.

In the statement of Hoover given out last night, his ideas regarding the situation are plainly stated:

"In regard to the English, German and Russian governments' participation in the 1915 exposition to which I have been acting as European adviser, I would say that as the Russian people have no great foreign manufacturing trade and have been largely absorbed in internal matters and have not for years participated in any expositions of any kind, their attitude in the matter of not wishing to be represented in the exposition was one entirely to be expected.

"The refusal of the British and German governments to make appropriations as they customarily do in such cases of about $500,000 for each participation, while it does not affect the question of the success of the exposition, in which practically every other foreign state has agreed to participate, and upon which something like $50,000,000 of expenditures has already been assured, does, however, interest the American public greatly from another point of view."

SOCIETY FOLK RIDE IN PAPER CHASE IN HILLS

HILLSBOROUGH, Dec. 29.—Peninsula society again rode over the San Mateo foothills in a paper chase yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the San Mateo Polo Club. Felton Elkins was the winner of the race, but he shared honors with his wife, who was not only the first woman rider to finish, but only allowed the winner and Harry Hastings, who was second to reach the goal ahead of her.

Mrs. Elkins was on Baby, her favorite pony. She made a thrilling ride and pressed the men hard for the lead. Elkins, the winner of the race, rode Flying Dutchman, better known as Heine, which was one of the famous brace of ponies owned by W. L. Breese, which consisted of Firecracker, Heine and Topo. Drucilla, who showed her speed in the polo pony races last year, was Hastings' mount. Count P. de Tristan and W. R. Hoag, who were also among the first to finish, had fleet animals which promise to figure in the races this year.

A large crowd was on hand for the start from the clubhouse on El Cerrito field. The trail then ran over an eight-mile course through the lands of Mrs. Abby Parrott, Charles W. Clark and Walter Hobart back to the finish at Parrott gate on the Crystal Springs road.

C. de Guigne Jr. was judge of the finish, and E. W. Howard and Joe Parrott were timekeepers.

DECK WATCHMAN FREED OF BLAME IN THEFT

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 29. — David Yust, a deck watchman on the steamer Whatcom, who was arrested on a charge of being implicated in the looting of a mail sack being conveyed from Anacortes, Wash., to Seattle on the steamer, was released after an investigation by Clay Allen, United States district attorney. Yust explained that although the mail was in his charge, it was in an open room and that he was called away to stand by the wheel and to serve as lookout while the steamer was going through a thick fog. Postoffice inspector said the amount of money stolen from the mail was small.

PROJECTING AIRSHIP FLEET.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—According to the Daily Citizen there are substantial grounds for saying that the naval estimate next season will be swollen by more than $5,000,000 for an airship fleet. This proposed airship fleet will consist of eight to ten dirigibles to begin with.

FIT HIS CASE EXACTLY

ago he read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Tablets in the papers that fit his case exactly," writes Miss Margaret Campbell of Ft. Smith, Ark. "He purchased a box of them and he has not been sick since. My sister had stomach trouble and was also benefited by them." For sale by Osgood Bros. Drug Stores.
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